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COURT TO CONVENE

THE JANUARY TERM DOCKET CONTAINS ABOUT 142 CASES.

WILL START MONDAY

Judge Dawson Will Be On the Bench In All Cases, Except Where He Acted As Counsel.

The January term of circuit court will convene next Monday with Judge J. M. Dawson on the bench. The docket has been prepared by Circuit Clerk Henry Westfall and contains 142 cases that will come up for hearing.

Since Judge Dawson in his capacity as a private lawyer has been counsel for a number of these cases, he is disqualified to act as judge in the hearings, and consequently, he has secured the services of Judge V. L. Drain of Shelbyville, to try these cases.

Judge Dawson will be on the bench the first week beginning next Monday and also Monday, January 22. Then Judge Drain will finish up the term with the 55 cases that he is to try.

The cases on the docket are divided as follows: thirteen parole cases, nineteen criminal cases, eighteen divorce cases, twenty-seven equity cases and about seventy-five civil cases.

The case of Mrs. Q. A. Gilmore, charged with the murder of Mrs. Ella Shipps, will not be tried at this term of court. It will come up in court, however, and the date for the trial will probably be set.

Among the fifty-five cases to be tried by Judge Drain are six divorce cases. Judge Drain is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Augustus Romasser.

FATHER PETER RUSSELL DIES

Former Maryville Man Passed Away In India, October 11, — Has Many Relatives Here.

Father Peter Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, died in India, October 11, according to word received yesterday by Mother John of the Convent at Clyde. Father Russell was born in Maryville and was reared in this county, having received his education at Conception College. He was ordained to the priesthood at Conception and said his first mass at Maryville.

After his ordination he went to Canada, and from there was transferred to the Philippines. After a few years' service there he went to Panama where he was chaplain during the first years of the building of the canal. From Panama he went to South America where he helped found a school. After he had finished his work there he went to India where he engaged in missionary work. The details of his last sickness and death have not been received.

Father Russell was 45 years old. He was a secular priest. His brother, Anthony Russell, was well known in Maryville, having lived here until his death, a few years ago. Father Russell is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Adelia Tobin of DeQueen, Ark., and Mrs. Babe Johnson of near Elmwood, Neb. His three aunts, Mother John, Sister Agatha and Sister Innocence are at the Convent at Clyde.

Saw "Hip, Hip, Hooray."

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers and Albert Kuchs drove to Kansas City yesterday to see "Hip, Hip, Hooray." They returned from Kansas City this morning.

PARNELL BOY ARRESTED

Robert Allman Is Detained By St. Joseph Police on the Charge of Passing Bad Checks.

Robert Allman, 22 years old, living at Parnell, Mo., was arrested yesterday morning by Patrolmen Cullen and Arnold on a charge of passing worthless checks. He was taken to central police station where he is being held for investigation.

Allman is said to have tried to cash a check at the Stockyards bank in the Exchange building. He was told that it would have to be indorsed. He left and returned a short time later with the check indorsed by Davis Brothers, supposed to have been intended for Davis and Son, live stock merchants, who have offices in the building. The teller noticed this discrepancy however, and refused to cash the check. The police were then notified and picked Allman up at Cherokee and Lake avenues.—St. Joseph Gazette.

DR. RICHARDSON AT NORMAL

Evangelist Gives Interesting Talk on "The Red Badge of Courage,"— Changes Sermon Subjects.

Rev. E. Emerson Miller, pastor of the First Christian church, and Dr. W. F. Richardson of Kansas City, visited the Normal this morning. The devotional meeting was begun with religious songs. The Rev. Mr. Miller was introduced by Prof. C. A. Hawkins, and then he read a portion of the sixth chapter of the letter to the Ephesians.

Dr. Richardson made an interesting talk on the "Red Badge of Courage."

He then announced that as there were so many attractions Friday night Dr. Richardson would preach on the "Senses of the Soul," Thursday night and would preach on "The Nineteenth Century Rebellion," Friday night.

$1591.65 IN WATER FUND

Maryville Water Department Receives $17,782. 32, And Disburses $16,190.67 In 1916.

The statement of the Maryville Water Department for the year 1916 shows a balance in the treasury of $1,591.65 on December 31. The receipts, which amounted to $17,782.32, came from the following sources: hydrants, $3,330; railroads, $1,095.26; unmetered rates, $687; metered rates, $11,103.74; miscellaneous, $200.44; merchandise, $520.07; cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1916, $845.81.

From this amount the following disbursements were made: salaries, $1,862.38; wages, $2,274.55; fuel, $3,670.23; expense, $1,236.92; supplies, $1,590.77; repairs, $630.66; construction, $925.06; and remittance, $4,000, totaling in all, $16,190.67.

WOMAN DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Mrs. Sam Eckles, 62 Years Old, Succumbs After Week's Illness—Leaves Husband and Children.

Mrs. Sam Eckles, 62 years old, died at 1:30 o'clock this morning at her home in Graham, following a week's illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Eckles is survived by her husband, eight children and several grand children. Her children are W. W. Eckles of Oklahoma, George Eckles, James Eckles, Mrs. Milt Wilson, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. Oren Stiverson, Bernice and Jake Eckles, all of Graham.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the residence, the Rev. Mr. Croy officiating. Burial will be in the Graham cemetery.

FOR CITY MANAGER

MARYVILLE COMMERCIAL CLUB AFFILIATES WITH LEAGUE.

LEGISLATIVE IN PURPOSE

Will Work For A Law Authorizing But Not Compelling Third Class Cities to Adopt New Form.

Believing that the city manager form of government is a popular and progressive movement and that every city should be allowed an opportunity to select this form if it so desires, the Maryville Commercial club through its directors has become affiliated with the Missouri City Manager league which has for its purpose securing optional city manager law for the third class cities of the state. Primarily the league is composed of commercial clubs in cities of the third class. Other organizations, however, which are in favor of the city manager form are given the privilege of membership.

A league was formed to secure the passage at the 1917 session of the legislature of a law which third class cities—having a population of 3,000 to 30,000—could adopt the city manager form of government. The object of the league is to obtain legislation authorizing but not compelling cities of this class to adopt city manager government if they so desire.

Officers of the league are: president, J. F. Morris, Jefferson City; vice-president, L. E. Bates, Excelsior Springs; secretary-treasurer, R. C. Journey, Columbia.

An optional city manager bill was introduced into the 1915 legislature. It passed the senate, but failed to pass the house because of lack of anyone to push it. This law was drawn up for the Missouri Municipal League by Leslie Bates of Excelsior Springs and Isador Loeb of Columbia, Dean of the School of Business and Public Administration, University of Missouri These two persons, assisted by Mr. H. A. Scheidker, secretary of the Hannibal Commercial Club, are now engaged as a committee on drafting and revising this bill.

Although Maryville is holding a fourth class charter, it is believed by many members of the Commercial club as well as Maryville citizens that the city is ready for a third class charter and that such interest is sufficient to prompt activity which may result in betterment of the form of government of cities of the same size, or in the same class, as Maryville should be.

REPLY TO WILSON SOON

Especial Pains Will Be Taken by Allied Governments to Return Satisfactory Reply to Peace Note.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Jan. 9.—That especial pains will be taken by the allied governments to return a satisfactory reply to Wilson's peace initiative is the statement made in semi-official circles today. According to common belief, the reply will be on its way within forty-eight hours. The official text will probably be given for publication, simultaneously to European and American newspapers, Friday or Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Charles, who underwent an operation at St. Francis hospital, is reported slowly improving.

Fern To-Night

Louise Lovely, Jay Belasco and Lon Chaney, favorites with devotees of Bluebird Photoplays, will be leading players in "The Grasp of Greed," a Bluebird to the exhibited at the Fern theatre tonight. The scenario was written by Ida May Park, based on H. Rider Haggard's story, "John Meeson's Will," and the protoplay was directed by Joseph De Grasse, who has supervised all of the Bluebird productions in which Louise Lovely has appeared since she came to this country last Christmas, from Australia. It's the will of John Meeson, a rich and miserly publisher, that forms the incentive for some splendid acting in an interesting and sensational photoplay. How the will came to be recorded and the peculiar manner of its engrossing forms a chapter unique in photoplaying. During the progress of five intensely interesting acts sensation supercedes excitement in stirring sequence, and as the gripping episodes unfold attention is held tensely to the "surprise" finish.—10c and 15c.

THE ADAMSON FIGHT

A LEGAL BATTLE OVER 8-HOUR LAW GOES ON.

DECISION IN FEW WEEKS

The Question Whether Congress Has Power to Regulate Hours of Service Is Keynote for Argument.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The legal battle over the constitutionality of the Adamson law was continued today before the supreme court. A decision is expected within a few weeks. Meantime, although the law was passed to become effective January 1, last, all litigation under it and the changes it proscribes are suspended by agreement.

The question whether congress has power to regulate hours of service and wages, furnished the keynote of the arguments yesterday in which the justices manifested keen interest, interrupting with many questions. In defense of the law for the department of justice, Solicitor General Davis declared it regulates both hours of service and wages and contended congress has authority to regulate both. He asked annullment of the decision of Circuit Judge Hook at Kansas City in the test case of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, holding the law void

Although three hours is the usual time allotted for argument of a case, the court today granted an extension to eight hours equally divided between the federal and railroad counsel. Tomorrow Walker D. Hines, chairman of the railroads' general committee of the counsel, and John G. Johnson of Philadelphia will speak for the carriers, and on Wednesday, the closing arguments for the government will be made by Frank Hagerman, special assistant to the attorney general.

The railroad brotherhood are not participating through counsel, but several labor leaders were spectators today. Attorney General Gregory and his entire staff and many members of congress also were in the court room.

Solicitor General Davis, in a two-hour argument told the court that it "reached the heights of imagination" to say that the primary object of congress in passing the law was not to limit the hours of toil. He asserted that Elisha Lee, the railroads' spokesman throughout the strike controversy, often had admitted that fact as well as that the law is workable now denied by the railroads.

The contention that the law is unworkable, Davis said, was "a manifest afterthought induced by the necessities of this case." To the charge that the law was experimental, he said public clamor would have followed had congress attempted to fix an arbitrary eight-hour day scale in perpetuity without possibility of change under future changed conditions.

"It may be congress did not please the railroads, the employes, or the public," he concluded, "but the body that made the law should amend it and the judiciary must not usurp that function."

SIPES FUNERAL TOMORROW

Services Will Be Held At 2 O'clock in the Afternoon From the Baptist Church.

Funeral services for Mrs. Charley Sipes, who died yesterday afternoon at her home will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the Baptist church, the Rev. T. H. Wiles officiating, Interment will be in the Miriam cemetery.

Relatives from a distance who will attend the funeral are two brothers, Charles McBride of Panora, Ill., and Lawrence McBride of Ghent, Minn., and Mrs. Morilla Hunter, of Raymond, Minn., a sister.

BANK OFFICERS CHOSEN

Same Men Re-elected to Direct Affairs of The First National Bank For 1917

The shareholders of the First National bank met this morning at the bank and held their annual election of officers The officers who had served last year were all re-elected. They are: President, Joseph Jackson, Sr.; cashier, Joseph Jackson, Jr.; directors, Joseph Jackson, Sr., H. W. Richmond, (secretary); C. C. Corwin, S. G. Gillam, Mrs. Mary Ream, and J. F. Colby.

A STRANGER IN CAMP.

—Des Moines Register.

GARDNER'S SPEECH

COMBINES INAUGURAL ADDRESS AND LEGISLATURE MESSAGE.

FINANCES FIRST PROBLEM

Tells Audience That State Must Be Placed on a Firm Business Basis at Once.

Frederick Gardner, who was inaugurated governor of Missouri yesterday, combined his inaugural address and his message to the legislature in one. He said in part:

"We must completely remodel and rehabilitate the finances of this state immediately.

"Our general revenue fund costs the people of Missouri about $1.70 per capita. In Illinois the per capita rate is $4.50. The average per capita tax of the United States is $5.03.

"If we raised $5.03 per capita, we would have 16¾ million dollars annual revenue to finance the state.

"We should have an additional revenue of 1½ million dollars for the public schools of Missouri; $1,800,000 to cover the present deficiency; ¾ million dollars to reform completely the penal institutions, which I will later discuss at greater length.

"I believe this additional revenue required can be best obtained by imposing taxes on the following basis, which I recommend for your consideration:

The raising of the collateral inheritance tax from 5 per cent to 7½ per cent.

A general inheritance tax.

Tax on capital and surplus of corporations (a privilege or franchise

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75 AT BANQUET

BUSINESS GIRLS ATTENDED FIRST ANNUAL DINNER LAST NIGHT.

PATRONESSES GIVE TALK

Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. R. S. Braniger, and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch Responded to Toasts.

(Miss Kate Schenck)

Seventy-five of the bright and clever women who have helped in making Maryville a topnotcher in the business world gathered around the festal board last night and dined, at the first annual banquet given by the Business Girls' club in the I. O. O. F. hall.

The gathering had an object other than dining and socialibity, which was that the guests bidden might better understand the good features of the club and thereby the membership of the organization be increased.

Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. R. S. Braniger and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, patronesses of the club each responded to a toast on a subject vital to the present and future interests of the club.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam, the fifth patroness, was unable to be present.

Following the dining, the usual order of meeting of the club was observed. Miss Laura Hawkins conducted the Bible study and Miss Nelle Hudson the play hour. Both of these young women are members of the High School faculty and have been in charge of this part of the work of the Business Girls' club since its organization last October.

The club is an aftermath of the meetings held in this city during Oc-

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FIGHT IN BLIZZARD

RUSSIANS SUCCEED IN CAPTURING ISLAND OF GLANDON.

BATTLING STILL IN EAST

Clear Weather Causes Many Lively Artillery Duels on the Western Fronts, War Office Announces

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—Fighting their way forward through a raging blizzard, the Russians succeeded in recapturing the small island of Glaudon, north of Illux, the German war office admitted today. The great battle that developed along the northern end of the eastern front continues furiously with the Russians attacking many points. Practically all these assaults were repulsed. The Russo-Roumanian positions all along the eastern bank of the Pulnta are now under attack. The Germans captured Galricaska by storm.

Clear Weather Aids Fighters.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—The clear weather has resulted in some lively fighting on both sides at many points of the western front, the war office announced.

Drastic Action Towards Greece.

Tokio, Jan. 9.—That the allies at war council in Rome decided upon action of the most drastic kind towards Greece is indicated by the dispatches today. The Times understands that an ultimatum was drawn up and forwarded to Athens along with a demand for an immediate reply.

Take Gloomy View of Capture.

London, Jan. 9.—British military experts commenting upon the capture of the fortress, Fokshani, take the gloomy view that now it is almost impossible to prevent the Teutons from overrunning Moldavia, thus giving them complete control of Roumania.

KANSAS LEGISLATURE BEGINS.

Oaths to Senators and Representatives Administered at Noon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Topeka, Jan. 9.—The Kansas legislature began its session at noon today. The oaths were then administered to the senators and representatives. Governor Capper's message will be read tomorrow.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder by Wednesday afternoon.

The Amoma Class of the Baptist Church is requested to meet in basement of church at 1:45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to attend funeral of Mrs. Charles Sipes at 2 o'clock.

Tomorrow

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GARDNER'S SPEECH

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tax).

A state income tax to be based on 10 per cent of the federal rate.

Raise saloon licenses to a flat rate of $500.

Mortgage recording tax.

A secured debt tax.

Inspection of soft drinks.

Inspection of spiritous liquors.

"I recommend the creation of a state tax commission to furnish the general assembly such information as is necessary from time to time for satisfactory revision of revenue laws. The power of this commission may be made to include supervision over the expenditure, as well as the collection of the state's money, with authority to make a scientific estimate of the revenue for each biennial period, presenting same to the legislature with a budget and recommendation as to how the money should be expended.

"I recommend for your consideration that the board of pardons and paroles, the board of prison inspection, the boards of the Missouri Reformatory, the state industrial home for girls, the state industrial school for negro girls, all be abolished and the duties now performed by these boards be placed under the exclusive jurisdiction of a board of say five members, not more than three of whom shall belong to the same political party, this board to have large powers.

"I favor the creation of a state highway commission composed of four members, two of whom shall be chosen from each of the leading political parties.

"This commission should be given broad powers, including authority to select a state highway engineer and to pay such salary as would guarantee a man of high attainments and successful experience. His term of office should be during the pleasure of the board, and his compensation should be fixed by it.

"I recommend submitting to the people the question whether a convention shall be held for the purpose of revising and amending the constitution of the state."

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Worth Knowing

When dampening clothes that have become too dry for ironing use warm water. It penetrates more quickly than cold and less of it is required, so that the ironing may be begun sooner.

When ironing handkerchiefs begin ironing in the middle. Ironing the edges first causes the middle to swell out and makes it very difficult to iron and fold them properly. Test the iron on a piece of rag or paper to prevent any accident by scorching.

Mother-of-pearl should never be washed with soap, for it discolors and destroys the brilliancy of the shell. The right method of cleaning is with whiting and cold water.

To clean marble take two parts of soda, one of pumice and one of salt (all in powder) and mix to a paste with water. Rub this vigorously on the marble and wash off with salt water. Finish with clean cold water and a soft cloth.

Corn breads are always heavy when sweet milk is substituted for sour and the soda is not changed to baking powder.

Some New Year's Customs, Both Ancient and Modern

New Year's in Rome was a day of rejoicing and gladness. The people celebrated it by feasting with each other and by giving presents to their friends. They were very careful about their behavior on this day, as they believed they would act throughout the year as they did on New Year's. On this holiday there was always a celebration in the temple they had built to Janus, and great preparations were made for it.

The Chinese people make a great fuss over New Year's, but their dates are not the same as ours, and their new year begins a little later than ours. For this festival day they decorate their houses and churches with funny lanterns and gay ornaments. In the churches incense is burned to the gods.

In Persia the people exchange eggs on this day. This means that the events of the coming year are as uncertain as the kind of chicken which will hatch from each egg.

The Japanese have customs of the New Year much like those of the Chinese, except that they have the same calendar as we have, and so their new year begins when ours does.

In ancient times the druids gave pieces of their holy plant, the mistletoe, to all people on the first of the year as a wish that the receiver of these might be blessed all year.

The pilgrims celebrated Thanksgiving, but not New Year's. Their reason for this was because the month was named after a heathen god. The Quakers also follow this rule, and instead of January they call this month the first month.

Light as Chaff

A Spare Leg.

Jones was old fashioned and stuck to old fashioned ways. Smith was modern and bought a fine new automobile. One day he was proudly exhibiting it to some friends when Jones came along.

"Um," remarked Jones as he sized up the handsome machine. "What's that thing there on the side?"

"That's a spare rim and tire," answered Smith. "We always carry an extra one in case one of the wheels goes wrong."

"Just as I always said," was the response of Jones. "I've driven hosses for nigh on fifty years, and I never had to carry a spare leg for one of them yet."—Country Gentleman.

Not Her Celebration.

Old Zeb Jackson, the champion whitewasher, walked down the main street of the village one morning dressed in his best suit, with a large, brilliant buttonhole bouquet and cotton gloves on his big hands.

"Hello, Zeb!" said the postman. "Are you taking a holiday?"

"Dish yere," said the old man, with a proud wave of his huge hand—"dish yere am mah golding wedding university, sah. Ah'm celebratin' hit."

"But your wife," said the postman, "is working as usual. I saw her at the washtub as I passed your house."

"Her?" said Zeb hotly. "She ain't got nuffin' ter do wif hit. She's mah fou'th."—Country Gentleman.

The Usurper.

Every night since he arrived at his summer boarding house the occupant of the small but airy room on the rear ground floor of the farmhouse had been annoyed by a large pig trying to gain entrance to his whilom domicile.

"Why is that pig always trying to go into my room?" inquired the summer boarder of the hired man one morning. "Do you think he has taken a fancy to me?"

"It's his room during the winter," whispered the hired man cautiously.

WOULD REDUCE MO. FIRES

Resolutions Endorsing Legislation to Provide for Fire Marshal Department Sent by Commercial Club.

Resolutions endorsing and recommending legislation which will provide for the establishment of a Fire Marshal Department in Missouri, were sent to Representative William Job and Senator James W. McKnight by the Maryville Commercial club today. The proposed legislation will reduce fires by eliminating fire hazards and prosecuting incendiaries.

The problem of fire losses in the state is one of large moment and it has long been felt by heads of the insurance department that effort should be made to reduce the loss and thereby reduce the danger to life and property. No extra tax to pay for the department will be assessed. It is a plan in other states to collect a small assessment from the insurance premiums out of the state.

Insurance companies favor the measure because it will reduce the risks. Those who are advocating such a department do so because they see a reduction in rates.

JOB ON MANY COMMITTEES

Nodaway Co. Rep. Named by Drake Watson to Serve Normal Schools and Ways and Means Committees.

Representative William Job of Nodaway county was appointed on a number of committees by Drake Wilson, speaker of the house, in Jefferson City. Mr. Job is chairman of the Normal Schools committee, chairman of the printing committee. Mr. Job is also a member of the ways and means committee which will wrestle with the problem of state revenue and which committee is headed by R. R. Correll of Randolph county. Frank Jones of Gentry county is also a member of this committee. The ways and means committee is one of the most important committees on account of urgent need of more revenue.

WILL BE BURIED HERE.

Mrs. Sarah Donovan Roberts of Easton Dies in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Sarah Donovan Roberts of Easton, Mo., died at 8:15 o'clock yesterday forenoon at the home of her cousin, John D. Richardson, 624 North Fifth street, after a prolonged illness. She had been visiting at the Richardson home for the last eight months. Jesse L. Roberts of St. Joseph is also a cousin. Mrs. Roberts was 66 years old and had no other immediate relatives. The body was sent to Maryville for burial.—St. Joseph Gazette.

MRS. MERRIGAN DIES.

Former Clyde Woman Succumbs to Tuberculosis at Colorado.

Mrs. Robert Merrigan of Colorado Springs, who formerly lived in Clyde, died Sunday at her home following a long illness of tuberculosis. Her body will arrive in Stanberry tonight. Mrs. Merrigan is survived by her husband and one son.

VILLA AT SALEVO.

No News of Serious Fighting By the Bandits Reaches Border.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, Jan. 9.—Villa is reported as being at Salevo City, fifty miles south of Chihuahua City. No news of serious fighting has reached the border.

If you wish to buy or sell real estate, see Holmes & Wolfert. 9-15

Miss Anna Eiberger of Conception is shopping in Maryville today.

Charley Wells went to St. Joseph today on business.

THE MEAL TIME

HOURS OF EATING SHOULD BE ONES OF RELAXATION.

HOSTESS OFTEN FAILS

Anxiety to Have Successful Meal Leads Her to Plan Elaborate Menu and Service—Result is Exhaustion.

The meal time is in many homes the only time when all of the family gathers, and it should therefore be a period for pleasant association and relaxation, as well as for providing proper nourishment. Also, when friends gather around the family table it is especially desirable to have the atmosphere of the meal comfortable and harmonious.

The hostess all too frequently fails in her efforts because her very anxiety to have a successful meal leads her to plan so elaborate a menu and service that she is exhausted when she reaches the table, and as a consequence other members of the family and the guests feel ill-at-ease throughout the meal. Furthermore, the menu is so heavy and unbalanced that no one can "do justice" to both the meal and his own digestive system.

The following two menus were given as illustrations by Miss Hildegarde Kneeland in a lecture during Farmers' Week at the University of Missouri, January 1 to 5: The first is a fairly typical example of a "company dinner" on a Missouri farm. It is based on the idea that the greater the number of dishes, the better the meal. Therefore, two meats are served, two kinds of potatoes several kinds of preserves and pickles, and two very rich desserts. The result is an unappetizing conglomeration which is an insult to the human stomach. The second is a simplification and modification of this menu, planned with regard for the nutritive needs of the body and palatability of the combinations. Therefore but one kind of meat, one kind of potatoes, and one dessert are served, and the preserves and acid foods are limited to one jelly and a salad. The fruit cocktail at the beginning of the meal stimulates the flow of the digestive juices; a light soup would also do this. The salad which is not very heavy gives variety of consistency by its crispness; lettuce if it were available would add to this. Throughout the meal there is a contrast of color and of manner of preparation.

The preparation of the meal could be simplified by serving soup in place of cocktail; it would be well then to use fruit instead of vegetables in the salad or to replace the ice cream with a fruit dessert.

The introduction of the first course increases the problem of serving as the meat course would have to be brought in after the cocktail cups or soup plates were removed. When a member of the family is acting as waitress, it will therefore be wiser to have the salad course served in combination with the meat course.

Care in having the hot dishes really hot and the cold dishes really cold and in removing the dishes in a quiet and orderly way will do much toward making a meal attractive.

In the arrangement of the table and the serving, simplicity, convenience, and unobtrusiveness should always be the aim.

Menue I. Baked chicken—oyster stuffing; baked ham; mashed potatoes, giblet gravy; candied sweet potatoes; bean salad; slaw, creamed onions; hot biscuits, plum preserves, grape jelly; mixed pickle; mince pie, peaches with whipped cream, nut cake.

Menu II. (Menu I simplified) — Grape fruit and pineapple cocktail; Maraschino cherry; baked chicken, oyster dressing, giblet gravy; mashed potatoes, creamed onions; hot biscuit, grape jelly; salad of peas and carrots, cooked dressing; caramel ice cream, marble cake

75 AT BANQUET

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tober by Charles Reign Scoville, and it was formed under the direction of Mrs. Scoville with forty members enrolled. A patroness was selected from each of the five Protestant churches of the city. The membership has increased to sixty-five now and the hopes of the club are to soon have a hundred.

The officers are: Miss Besse Porter, chairman, and Miss Nora Ritze, treasurer. The dues are not heavy and the meetings are held each Monday evening in the High School auditorium. After the devotional and business period the play hour is given over at present to gymnastics and folk dancing.

Then, those erstwhile well poised, dignified business girls don middies and bloomers, discard high heels and stays and romp 'till the spirit of play chases away all thought of office and shop and school.

A course in domestic science, a reading circle, travelogues, out-door sports, and tournaments are some of the visions of the future, all backed by the enthusiasm of seventy-five business women, which soon makes reality of dreams.

Preaching at Mount Zion.

The Rev. E. W. Croy will preach at Mt. Zion at 11 o'clock a. m., Sunday January 14. At Swan Chapel at 3 o'clock p. m., and at Graham at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Our second quarterly meeting will be held January 27 and 28. Quarterly conference January 27, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Graham. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

E. W. Croy, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell and son, Lavern, of Tarkio are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hilsabeck of Graham.

L. D. Lynch, west of Maryville is in Rochester, Minn., where he is taking treatment.

HOW DRESS FOR SKATING

Neither Women Nor Men Clothe Themselves Properly for Skating According to Swedish Champion.

New York, Jan. 9.—Neither women nor men dress properly for skating.

"New York women do not know how to dress for skating," says Mrs. Emury Bergfeldt, Swedist champion. "They forget about outline and silhouette.

"Some women wear corsets too long and too stiff to permit a free hip movement.

"Skirts should be two and three-quarters of a yard around and reach just above the curve of the calf."

The average man skater is more concerned with keeping on his feet than with his appearance, says Mr. Bror Meyer, winner of European championships.

"But the costume should be correctly cut, tight at the knees and with the knickerbockers only slightly curved at the hips," he advises.

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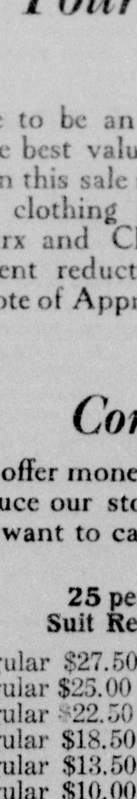

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LAWSON WILL GIVE NAMES

Promises to Tell All If Congress Will Investigate Alleged "Leak" — Wouldn't Tell Yesterday.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Thomas Lawson promised to give the names of those connected with the alleged "leak" at Washington if the house would order a congressional investigation of the leak. This promise came after a session devoted to wrangling. He said that if he were called before a select committee he would tell the names of the congressmen, cabinet officers and other high officials besides a banker, who are involved in the "leak." He also promised to give the amounts of money, "great amounts, more than $2,000,000;" involved in the transaction.

Yesterday Campbell of Kansas got Lawson to say that a member of congress had told him that a Cabinet member was invilved in the leak. Campbell asked who the Cabinet member was, and Lawson refused to tell. Campbell asked who the House members were, and again Lawson refused to tell.

Lawson said at the beginning that he would tell the committee what he wanted to tell and the way he wanted to tell it, or he would not tell anything at all. He said in a long statement that this was not an investigation, but an inquiry to find out whether there would be an investigation. Chairman Henry sought to get names and specific instances from him, but he refused to give them.

Real Estate Sales.

B. Notzol sold his property on North Mulberry street, known as the Peter Lahr property, to Fletcher Badger of Barnard. Wm. Ocker sold 120 acres, 3 miles southwest of Maryville, known as the Hunt farm, to Wm. Freeze of Skidmore. Wm. Freeze sold 70 acres, 3 miles northeast of Skidmore to Wm. Ocker. The sales total $30,000 and were made through Holmes & Wolfert.

Few special bargains in city property, possession given March 1. Holmes & Wolfert. 9-15

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FIND PREHISTORIC TOOTH

Grinder From Head of Ancient Man Dislodged From Coal Bed In Kansas.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pittsburgh, Kan., Jan. 8.— Can you imagine a prehistoric man, whose tooth would weigh four ounces, a tooth which would take a wire cable to pull? Such a tooth has been found in a coal bed, more than 600 feet under the ground. The tooth was found about two miles northwest of Pittsburgh, in a coal mine. Dentists claim that, because of certain formations, it could be nothing but a grinder from the head of a prehistoric man. While it is light and appears to be bone, it is in a perfect state of petrification.

The prehistoric giant, who had such a tooth, easily could have opened his mouth twelve inches wide. He must have been about twelve feet in height and able to have taken a six-foot step.

It is practically impossible to determine at what age this man lived, but it must have been many years before the birth of Christ, because of the depth at which the tooth was found. However, it is possible that the molar could have been placed that deep in mother earth by an upheaval at some time.

The coal mine in which it was found has been in operation many years and is one of the deepest in the country.

Many persons at first believed the tooth was that of a prehistoric animal rather than of a man. However, it was taken to several dentists, who said that, because of certain formations in the human tooth which are absent in teeth of animals, the molar must have been that of a prehistoric human being.

WOMEN IN OVERALLS NEXT

Style Set By Women Munitions Workers Leads to Adoption By Society Women.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Jan. 9.—Overalls for women! That is the latest trick of Dame Fashion. The style is set by the women munitions workers of Europe and now a great American company which has specialized in overalls for men only, announce it will soon be turning out hundreds of thousands of this garment for the fair sex.

The materials will be cambray, soft cotton, khaki and black sateen, in stripes, checks, white and blue—very dainty and attractive. Many big firms have started to clothe thier women workers here in the bifurcated garment—and the women and girls say they like them.

Out-of-Town Visitors.

Charles Lee of Elmo, N. I. Staples and Jesse Robertson of Burlington Junction and Bob Graves and Alva Cox of Maitland, were among the out-of-town people in Maryville yesterday.

His Condition Unchanged.

The condition of B. Raleigh Martin, according to word received by his relatives today, is unchanged.

J. M. Broadbent and S. P. Curnutt of Barnard were in Maryville today. They are on their way home from Shenendoah, Ia.

Frank Hinton and George Porterfield of Pickering were in Maryville on business today.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

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O. E. S. Meets.

The regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star will be held at the Masonic Hall this evening.

Penelope Club at Mrs. Costello's.

The Penelope Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Ed Costello tomorrow afternoon, instead of at the home of Mrs. U. S. Wright.

Mrs. Eversole, Hostess.

Mrs. Ralph Eversole entertained the members of the Tuesday afternoon Auction Bridge Club, this afternoon at her home on South Buchanan street. Mrs. Luther Forsyth was the guest of the club. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Whites Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John White entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their country home west of Maryville. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and daughter, Lora Frances, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. Sam Kennedy, Mrs. Ethel Lincoln, Miss Clydell White and Wilfred White.

Comptons Will Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Compton will entertain at 6 o'clock dinner tonight. The evening will be spent in playing somerset. The guests will include: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wolfert will be after dinner guests at the Compton home.

Jolly Farmers Meet.

The Jolly Farmers' club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Debord, Friday evening, January 5. A very enjoyable evening was spent by the following members: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Briggs and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mutz and family.

Appleby's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Appleby entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Flora. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby and children, Elvina and Orville, Iona H. Appleby and sons, Robert Lee and John Ben, and Velma, Alma and Flora Appleby.

Bloomfield's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield entertained the following guests at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Will Hantz and daughters, Leta and Lottie, and sons Harold, Roland and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley and son, Orville, Mr. and Mrs. Corney Leech and son, Harold, Miss Addie Killiam and Misses Nona and Olivia Bloomfield.

Guests at Sherlock's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sherlock entertained at 12 o'clock dinner today at their home on West Third street. Covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. John Behm and daughters, Beatrice and Loretta, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Felix and little daughter, Helen Dorothy, Miss Susie Behm of Chicago, Miss Clara Sherlock and the host and hostess.

Guests at Evans Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland M. Evans entertained with an elaborate "goose" dinner Sunday at their beautiful home, seven miles south of Maryville on the Savannah road. Victrola music was given by Miss Gladys Haynes. Those present were: Mrs. Carloda Evans, and son James, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Evans and family, Miss Vera Mae Dorman, Mrs. Francis Haynes and family, the host and hostess and son Earl.

For Mrs. Colbert's Guests.

Red and white was the color scheme at a charmingly appointed six-course luncheon given at 1 o'clock this afternoon by Mrs. Fred Robinson in honor of Mrs. Jesse Croan and Mrs. Margaret Tausey of Anderson, Indiana, who are the guests of Mrs. G. H. Colbert. Crystal candlesticks, containing red candles, and crystal baskets, filled with red roses, were used on the table. The place cards and the menu were also in red and white.

After the luncheon, a guessing game and musical selections furnished entertainment for the afternoon. Besides the honor guests, the following were present: Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. Charles Bell, Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., Mrs. J. A. Ford, Mrs. Edward Gray, and Miss Nell Saunders.

Evelyn Lucile Evans, Honor Guest.

Mrs. John R. Evans entertained Saturday in honor of the eighth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Evelyn Lucile, the affair being a complete surprise to her. Various games were played, piano solos were rendered by Misses Roberta and Odessa Wells, Audrey Craig and Mrs. Evans. A vocal solo was given by little Miss Susie Dougherty. After the children had finished posing for a picture, a dainty luncheon of blended fruits, whipped cream, cake and cocoa was served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Ed Russell.

The table was lit with candles, and the centerpiece was a pink and white birthday cake, decorated with eight candles, and the name of the guest of honor, done in fondant.

The affair was greatly enjoyed by little Miss Evelyn, who said she wished she could have several birthday parties a year. She received many nice gifts from the guests present, who were: Helen Renshaw, Vera Mae Dorman, Vern Dempsey, Donald and Clarence McGinnis, Kermit Moore, Susie and Vina Dougherty, Carl, Audrey and Mabel Craig, Esther, Rebecca and Edgar Cox, Russell, Odessa and Roberta Wells, and Kenneth and Evelyn Evans. The children's teacher, Miss Grace I. Norris, and Evelyn's grandmother, Mrs. Carloda Evans, were also present.

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Arkoe will meet at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at the Methodist church, and spend the day at the church quilting. All members are invited to be present.

Little Wava Woodward Entertains.

Little Miss Wava Woodward of Arkoe, entertained a number of her little friends Saturday afternoon at a play dinner. Graham crackers, peanut butter and candy were served by the little hostess from her toy dishes. The children afterwards enjoyed a taffy pull. Those present were: Ruth Corrough, Ruth Ramey, Ellen Jane, Alice Swinford, Florence and Virginia Morrow, Evelyn Harding, Jessie and Beulah Vickery and Thelma Shipps.

Music Department Meets With Miss Nash.

Miss Alma Nash was hostess to the Music Department of the Twentieth Century club, which met yesterday afternoon at her home on West Thompson street. The subject for the afternoon was "Music of Russia." Miss Mary Q. Evans was the leader. Roll call was answered by anecdotes of Russian musicians. Mrs. Charles Moore sang, "He Loved Me So Dear," by Tschaikowski, and "Liebesgluck," by Glinka.

The following musicians were discussed: Elman, and Gabrilowitch, by Mrs. Frank White; Gadski and Godowski, by Mrs. C. Q. Smith; and Hoffman, Paderewski and Zimbalist, by Mrs. L. G. Crossan. Records from these artists were played on the victrola.

About twelve members and visitors were present. The visitors present were: Miss Teresa Hunt, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. E. G. Orear, and Mrs. George Nash.

NEWSPAPER OWNERS MEET

Will Confer at St. Louis On White Paper Situation—Believe Combine Exists to Defraud Small Consumer.

The newspaper publishers of the state are to hold a meeting in St. Louis next Friday for the purpose of considering the white paper situation. Revelations made by the federal trade commission, which has been inquiring into the paper trade for the last six months, leave no doubt in the minds of publishers that a combination exists in restraint of trade.

The large metropolitan newspapers have contracted for all the output of the mills, or as nearly so as the manufacturers would permit, leaving the small publishers to get along the best way they can. The situation is a trying one and the publishers are justified, they feel, in demanding action by the legal department of the government.

The president and secretary of the state press association have been on the ground at Washington for some weeks and will be in a position to furnish some interesting information to the St. Louis gathering. Every northwest Missouri publisher is urged to attend the meeting.

OPPOSE PROHIBITION IN D. C.

Senator Underwood Presents Petition Signed by 40,000 "Wets."

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Senator Underwood presented to the Senate a petition signed by 40,000 persons, opposing prohibition in the District of Columbia and demanding a presentation by referendum of any "dry" legislation.

FREDERICK SMALL SENTENCED.

Will Hang January 15, 1918, for the Murder of His Wife.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Ossipee, Jan. 8.—Frederick L. Small a Boston broker was found guilty of murdering his wife today and was sentenced to hang January 15, 1918. The sentence says that he must remain in the state prison until then.

PENNSYLVANIA OIL $3.05.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 9.—Pennsylvania crude oil jumped to $3.05 a barrel.

Miss Leona Browning of Mound City is visiting this week with Miss Gladys Yeaman, who is taeching in Arkoe.

Say to the Waiter
'I Want An Edwards' Business Man's Luncheon'

You know that hungry feeling when you don't want a full meal, and still not just a bite. Well here's a tip, You can get what you want quickly and easily.

Say to the waiter, "I want an Edwards' Business Man's Luncheon." And in a jiffy he'll deliver you a big wholesome Sandwich, dry or smothered in gravy.

Merely suggest to him which kind of meat you prefer, and he'll do the rest. Pickles on the side and just enough sandwich to check up on that hunger and send you back to work with plenty of pep. And a fine thing about it is it's only 15 cents, although it looks like more.

Edwards' Cafe

Prof. Hakel Returns.

Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel returned last night from his home in Weston, Neb., where he spent the holidays. Mr. Hakel was delayed in returning by illness.

Earl Campbell of Guilford is in Maryville on business today.

W. M. Vandeventer of Conception and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCandlish of Craig were among the out-of-town people in Maryville yesterday.

Miss Mayme Swoboda, who has been visiting for a few days with Miss Agatha Kirch, left today for her home in Leavenworth, Kan.

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It's a fact we can show you deals made through this system that have in a single instance run into hundreds of dollars. You've been informed often of the many ways you can use this economical system. *Start today.* Just a twenty-five cent piece may bring you many dollars.

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Here's Effective Relief
Your cough and cold begin to get better as soon as you start to take Dr. King's New Discovery. Ask your druggist, he's sold it for many years.

ASTOR WOULD JOIN NAVY

Becomes Pupil of New York Navigation School Which Prepares For Annapolis.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Jan. 9.—Vincent Astor and other gilded young men here are pupils of a New York navigation school which makes a specialty of preparing candidates for Annapolis.

Mr. Astor is not going to try for Annapolis. He's twenty-five years old and married, and so barred from the academy. But his interest in preparedness is so keen that he is taking this means to increase his efficiency as an officer of the Volunteer patrol squadron, a fleet of power boats suitable for scout and other duty.

Several other members of the patrol squadron are enrolled in Captain Uttmark's school. Among them is Hermann Oelrichs, son and heir of the late Hermann Oelrichs. Other pupils are Orson D. Munn, son of the founder of the Scientific American. Paul L. Hammond and Sigmund Cohn, all members of the squadron.

Although Mr. Aster joined the patrol last summer, his interest seemed more in aeroplane training. He enrolled last May in the aeronautical corps of the Second Naval Reserve Battalion and helped to raise $8,000 for a hydro-aeroplane. The year before he had a hydro-aeroplane built and was taught to operate it by his pilot, Clifford Webster.

WOMAN SNEEZES; BREAKS RIB.

Mrs. Arthur Heiser Finds That Bone Is Seriously Fractured.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Mount Carmel, Pa., Jan. 9.—A sneeze, a twist of the body—result a broken rib, according to the experience of Mrs. Arthur Heiser, thirty-five, of Shamokin Dam.

She was emerging from a department store when she sneezed violently, and in an effort to save herself from falling off the steps of the store twisted her body. She saved herself from falling, but was immediately bothered with a severe pain which sent her scurrying to the doctor. There she discovered she had fractured a rib.

Daughter For Thorps.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thorp announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Katherine, born yesterday at the St. Francis hospital.

License Issued.

A marriage license was granted today in the office of the recorder for Thomas M. Edwards of Gentry county and Minnie Jane Smith of Stanberry.

See Holmes & Wolfert for bargains in farms, if taken by Feb. 1. 9-15

Rev. J. H. Williams of Kalamazoo, Mich., is visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Williams and Mrs. and Mrs. Burr Williams.

Miss Nina Lamport of Pickering is visiting with her aunts, Mrs. Nelle Alden and Mrs. Al Royston of Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Kansas City Stock Letter.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Jan. 9.—Cattle closed last week 15 to 25 cents higher all around, and a supply of 17,000 head today was not big enough to start a decline. Sales steady to strong; nothing prime offered; top, $10.90. Hogs exhibited strength most of last week, and added 10 to 15 cents today; top, $10.60; receipts, 10,000. Sheep and lambs sold a shade stronger, lambs $13.30, ewes $9.25; receipts 16,000.

Beef Cattle.

Prime beef steers reached $11.50 twice last week, and are steady today, but the best here sold at $10.90; other sales around $10.50. Short fed steers sell from $8.50 upwards. Three cars of pulp fed steers from Northern Colorado arrived, just fair, 1180 lbs, and sold at $9.80. Steers from the same district considered feeders by the shippers, were sold to killers, some weighing 1130 lbs, at $9.40; others 1,000 lbs., at $9.00. Killers offer strong competition on anything with flesh. New Mexico steers went to the killers at $8.25, barely starting to gain flesh. Cows sell up to $9.00, common canners at $5.25 to $5.75, bulls $5.75 to $7.50; veals to $11.50.

Stockers and Feeders.

Demand cleaned up the supply closely last week, and at an advance of around a quarter for the week. Strong prices the first week in January are unusual, but high prices for killing cattle make stockmen eager to invest. Good feeders bring $8.00 to $9.00, and get competition from killers as well as country buyers; stock steers $6.50 to $8.50. Sales today were at a slight advance over last week.

Hogs.

Values made a net advance last week, though not without fluctuations both ways. The market was 10 to 15 cents higher today, but the supply had nothing choice, else a top of $10.65 or more would have been made. Numerous sales were of both heavy and medium weights were made at $10.60, and bulk of sales ranged from $10.00 to $10.60; light weights up to $10.40; pigs $8.50 to $9.25. Demand is strong from killers everywhere, and lighter average weights indicates close marketing, with possibility of shrinking receipts in the near future, something the packers fear, hence their anxiety to accumulate stocks of meat.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lambs started weak today, at the decline of 25 cents effective the last half of last week, but the late market was 10 cents higher; Kansas fed lambs at $13.30; pea fed Colorado's at $13.25. Sheep sold stronger from the start, ewes ranging from $8.85 to $9.25. Yearlings are worth up to $12.35. Feeding lambs bring strongest prices on record, $11.75 to $12.50. The fat lamb market is really more secure than it appears, for packers are getting enormous prices for wool and pelts, reducing meat prices to the level of last year.

J. A. Rickart,
Market Cor.

Joseph Meyer of Bedison visited in Maryville today.

Fred Bellows went to Stanberry today on business.

Inspiration Miscellany

Good Manners Help.

A merchant who returned from England just before the war broke out has been voluble ever since on the manners of the children he happened to meet abroad. Apparently American parents and schools do not lay on good manners the emphasis that they receive abroad. Yet good manners, like the gold at the foundation of all money, are current the world over. Emerson noted this:

"Give a boy dress and accomplishments and you give him the mastery of palaces and fortunes wherever he goes. He has not the trouble to earn or own them; they solicit him to enter and possess."

"All your Greek," Chesterfield wrote to his son, "can never advance you from secretary to envoy or from envoy to ambassador, but your address, your air, your manner, if good, may."

"The difference between a well bred and ill bred man is this," Samuel Johnson said: "One immediately attracts your attention, the other your aversion. You love one until you find reason to hate him; you hate the other until you find reason to love him."

Civility, polished manners, mean much to a youth in his first position.—Kansas City Star.

OUR CROSSES.

The crosses which we make for ourselves in this life by a restless anxiety as to the future are not crosses which come from God. We show want of faith in him by our false wisdom, wishing to forestall his arrangements and struggling to supplement his providence by our own providence.—Fenelon.

To the Boy of the Twentieth Century

So live that your afterself—the man you ought to be—may in his time be possible and actual. For away in the twenties, the thirties, of the twentieth century he is awaiting his turn. His body, his brain, his soul, are in your boyish hands. He cannot help himself.

What will you leave for him? Will it be a brain unspoiled by wrong living or dissipation, a mind trained to think and act, a nervous system true as a dial in its response to the truth about you?

Will you, boy of the twentieth century, let him come as a man among men in his time, or will you throw away his inheritance before he has had the chance to touch it?

Will you let him come, taking your place, gaining through your experience, hallowed through your joys, building on them his own, or will you fling his hope away, decreeing wantonlike that the man you might have been shall never be?—David Starr Jordan.

Limbs of the Mind

As our bodies, to be in health, must be generally exercised, so our minds, to be in health, must be generally cultivated. You would not call a man healthy who had strong arms, but was paralytic in his feet; nor one who could walk well, but had no use of his hands; nor one who could see well, though he could not hear. You would not voluntarily reduce your bodies to any such partially developed state. Much more, then, you would not, if you could help it, reduce your minds to it. Now, your minds are endowed with a vast number of gifts of totally different uses—limbs of mind, as it were, which if you don't exercise you cripple. One is curiosity—that is, a gift, a capacity of pleasure in knowing, which if you destroy you make yourselves cold and dull. Another is sympathy—the power of sharing in the feelings of living creatures, which if you destroy you make yourselves hard and cruel. Another of your limbs of mind is admiration—the power of enjoying beauty or ingenuity, which if you destroy you make yourselves base and irreverent. Another is wit or the power of playing with the lights on the many sides of truth, which if you destroy you make yourselves gloomy and less useful and cheering to others than you might be. So that in choosing your way of work it should be your aim, as far as possible, to bring out all these faculties as far as they exist in you; not one merit nor another, but all of them.—Ruskin.

Two Foes.

Two well known but unheeded facts are that anxiety is no baker and bakes no bread; that worry is no tailor and makes no clothes.

THE IDEAL.

The ideal is in thyself. The impediment, too, is in thyself. The condition is but the stuff thou art to shape that same ideal out of. What matters whether such stuff be of this sort or that, so the form thou givest it be heroic, be poetic?—Carlyle.

FARM ANIMALS

HEALTHY AND VIGOROUS HOGS

Pasture Furnishes Necessary Exercise In Gathering Succulent Feed—Feed Some Grain.

"Corn for fat and pasture for pork," said a farmer. He meant, says R. C. Ashby, assistant animal husbandman in charge of swine, University farm, St. Paul, that the pasture furnished exercise in gathering the green, succulent feed, and by keeping the hogs

Ready for Market.

healthy and vigorous, it put them in the best condition to make good gains from their grain feed.

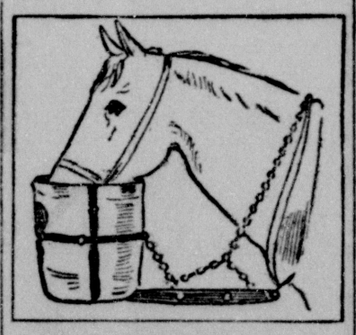
It pays to feed grain on pasture, for pasture alone will do little more than keep up a pig's weight. A light to medium grain ration is usually most profitable. About two or three pounds of grain a day is a good ration for shoats weighing eighty to one hundred pounds. If you have scales, weigh your pigs occasionally and feed about three pounds of grain daily for each 100 pounds live weight of hogs.

Good rations for summer feeding are easily obtained. On clover, alfalfa or rape pasture, feed corn and a little skim milk. On blue grass or timothy pasture feed three pounds of skim milk to each two pounds of corn. More milk would do no harm. If skim milk is not at hand, it will pay to feed oil meal or tankage with the corn, where blue grass or timothy pasture is used about one part tankage to eleven parts corn or one part oil meal to seven parts corn.

NOSE-BAG SUPPORT IS HANDY

Horse Is Enabled to Eat From Bottom of the Bag Without Bracing on the Sidewalk.

The interesting features of this device are the brace that runs to the lower part of the hames, and the flexible support attached to the top of the



Support for Nose-Bag.

hames. The invention is intended to enable the horse to eat from the bottom of the bag without being compelled to brace it against the sidewalk or other solid object.

PRODUCTIVE PERIOD OF EWE

Does Her Best at From Three to Six Years of Age—Keep Her While Teeth Remain Good.

The most productive period of the average ewe's life is from three to six years of age. As a general proposition, keep the ewe as long as the teeth remain good and she is producing lambs regularly.

Of course, if sheep are kept continuously on the same pasture, they are liable to stomach-worm infection, but such infection more often proves serious in the case of young lambs than with older sheep.

BROOD MARE AND HER COLT

Youngster Should Be Kept in Darkened Stall During Day—Allow It to Suckle Often.

If the mare is worked, keep the colt in a cool, dark stall during the day. For the first few weeks after foaling bring the mare to the barn and allow the colt to suckle.

Do this in the middle of the forenoon and in the middle of the afternoon, as well as at morning, noon and night.

In the Arena of Sports

Mathews of Pennsylvania

Among the season's football stars Captain Neal Mathews of the University of Pennsylvania eleven stands out for fine all around work. His play at

Photo by American Press Association.

NEIL MATHEWS.

left tackle has been of the quality that wins games. Last year Mathews was also a sterling player, and his teammates recognized his worth by electing him captain.

Number of Boxmen to Be Reduced.

In the past pitchers have insisted that after a hard game they should have three or four days of rest, perhaps more, but this argument will not hold water in future. Several big league clubs carried as many as eight or ten pitchers for a time during the past season, but they failed to get into first division berths. These pitchers were liberally paid, yet they were not compelled to overexert themselves. When Alexander, Perritt, Benton, Rudolph, Davenport and other crack pitchers worked in both ends of double headers without losing their effectiveness in subsequent games the magnates and managers opened their eyes to the fact that the average boxman had been fooling them. So next year the number of pitchers who remain under contract to the big league clubs will be greatly reduced.

Honus Is Well Fixed.

John (Honus) Wagner for some years has been drawing $10,000 a year from the Pittsburgh club. His contract with Barney Dreyfuss has called for this sum probably since 1906. When the Dutchman reaches the end of his career he will not have to worry about a new means of livelihood. He always will be able to lay hands on a fat bank roll which has been accumulating since Dreyfuss got Honus to the Smoky City.

Worth Knowing

Cup of Cocoa.—A pinch of salt and a few drops of vanilla added to boiling cocoa greatly improve the flavor. Boil several minutes, as it not only makes cocoa richer, but far more digestible.

Spots on Furniture.—To remove white spots from highly polished furniture apply common baking soda dampened. Allow it to remain on the spots for a short time and then rub vigorously.

To Drop Medicine.—Shake the bottle so as to moisten the cork. With the wet end of the cork moisten the edges of the mouth of the bottle, then, holding the cork under the mouth, let the fluid pass over the cork in dropping.

To Avoid a Crack.—When necessary to pour boiling water in a tumbler or glass cup put a teaspoon in first and there will be less danger of cracking.

Hard to put up a stovepipe without getting some soot on the floor. Before you touch it scatter a little salt over it. Then go ahead with your sweeping.

If a basket with sewing materials is kept in the kitchen many odd jobs of sewing can be done while waiting for the dinner to cook or the men to come to it.

HABIT OF HEALTH.

To acquire the habit of health it is necessary to cultivate the habit of expecting it. Cultivate, too, the habit of cheerfulness in your daily occupation, of optimism in your daily reflections, of urbanity toward others and consideration for their rights as well as extenuation for their failures. We should be healthy in body, glad in heart and aspiring in spirit.

Grippy weather this. Better get a box of—

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it—25 cents. At Any Drug Store

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Jan. 9.—WHEAT—May, $1.83¾ @ ⅝; July, $1.40⅝.

CORN—May, 95⅞c; July, 95½c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 13,000; steers, $8.00 @ $11.50; cows, $5.10 @ $5.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 18,000; market 15c higher; top, $10.80; bulk, $10.10 @ $10.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; market strong.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts 6,000; market 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 40,000; market 15c higher; top, $10.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Jan. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500; market strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; market strong; top, $10.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; market strong.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs.

Butter fat, per lb	34c
Eggs, per dozen	35c
Hides, per lb	14c
Springs, per lb	14c
Hens, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese, per lb	10c
Roosters and stags, per lb	7c

SERVICES FOR MRS. LYONS

Will Be Buried at 10:30 O'clock Tomorrow Morning From South Methodist Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Lyons, who died at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning at her home on North Mulberry street, following a week's illness of grip, will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the South Methodist church, the Rev. R. C. Holliday officiating. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Lyons is survived by six children, Mrs. Sam Wohlfot, Barnard, Mrs. Earl Rownsend, Walla Walla, Wash., Mrs. Albert Allen, Ravenwood, Mrs. Charles Neal, E. W. Lyons and Miss Jessie Lyons, all of Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Miss Blanche Hinton of Pickering, is shopping in Maryville today.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist, or send 4c. in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. Name Paper. Chichester Chemical Co. Philadelphia, Pa.
CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

WANTED

100 Mules

Four to eight years old—any size. Phone me, I will come and see them and buy or invoice them.

Jim Andy Ford

Farmers 161 Hanamo 31

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

OYSTER SUPPER at Knabb School Friday night, Jan. 12, to raise money for homecoming. Ethel Lincoln, teacher. 6-9*

FOUND—A rosary, owner call this office. 9-11

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., south side square. Hanamo 270.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

SPIRELLA CORSETS—Just received new sample line. Come and see me. Mrs. Henry Cook, 221 West Third, both phones. 9-11

NOTICE—All parties knowing themselves indebted to me, please call and settle at once. Have sold my interest in the shop to J. J. Ryan. Dennis Jones. ..6-9*

STRAYED—White and brown bull dog, answers by name of Spot, has on leather collar. Telephone 1116, Skidmore. Will McGuire. 9-11*

ATTENTION, WAR—Thinking some people may get the impression I am going to quit business, using the language of John Touhey, "I will let you know when I want to quit." R. S. Braniger, the Seedy Man. 8-19

For Sale.

USED PIANOS—We have several good used upright pianos we will sell at bargains. Two square pianos at $25 each. Landon Music Co. 4-10

FOR SALE—Jersey heifer calf; 120-egg Successful incubator, 100 chick warm air brooder. 123 W. Fifth. 8-10*

FOR SALE—Restaurant and grocery, good business. Good reasons for selling. E. H. Sell, proprietor, Barnard, Mo. 6-12*

FOR SALE—Jack, "General Knox," will take good automobile or stock in exchange. Write P. O. Box 146, Maryville, Mo. 6-9*

FOR SALE—Two desirable residence lots, close in, 1½ blocks east of square on East Third street. Elmer Fraser. 5tf

FOR SALE—A beautiful building lot and large barn, south front. Inquire 319 W. Thompson. Mrs. G. A. Nash 3-10

FOR SALE—Eleven head Duroc-Jersey gilts to farrow in April. Walter Dickie, Farmers phone 50-19. 6-12*

FOR SALE—Small 5c and 10c store, good business; Ill health reason for selling. Living rooms and store room, cheap rent. Will invoice about $700. Koppen's 5 and 10c store, Conception Junction, Mo. 9-11

Wanted.

WANTED—Three girls at Maryville Laundry at once. 8-10*

WANTED — General house work. Call Farmers 913. 8-10*

WANTED—Married man wants work on farm. Experienced. Call at 221 West Thompson. 9-11*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—Work on farm by married man, by the year. Give good reference. Call Han. 5461. Joe Auffart, Route 7. 9-11*

WANTED—Sewing by experienced dressmaker, at your home or mine, 15c an hour. Call 2416 Farmers phone. Iona H. Appleby, 127 South Fillmore. 9-11*

SALESMAN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 8-3*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—6-room house adjoining Normal, ready any time. J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 4-tf

FOR RENT—Large modern rooms furnished for or without light housekeeping, close to high school. Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, Han. 3625. 3tf

The Town is Alright. Are You?

If you want to live in the kind of a town
Like the kind of a town you like,
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip
And start on a long, long hike.
You'll find what you left behind,
For there's nothing that's really new,
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town,
It isn't the town,—It's You.
Real towns are not made by men afraid,
Lest somebody else get ahead. When everyone
works and nobody shirks,
You can raise a town from from the dead.
And if while you make your personal stake,
Your neighbor caen make one too,
Your town will be what you want to see;
It isn't the town. It's You.

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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COURT TO CONVENE

THE JANUARY TERM DOCKET CONTAINS ABOUT 142 CASES.

WILL START MONDAY

Judge Dawson Will Be On the Bench In All Cases, Except Where He Acted As Counsel.

The January term of circuit court will convene next Monday with Judge J. M. Dawson on the bench. The docket has been prepared by Circuit Clerk Henry Westfall and contains 142 cases that will come up for hearing.

Since Judge Dawson in his capacity as a private lawyer has been counsel for a number of these cases, he is disqualified to act as judge in the hearings, and consequently, he has secured the services of Judge V. L. Drain of Shelbyville, to try these cases.

Judge Dawson will be on the bench the first week beginning next Monday and also Monday, January 22. Then Judge Drain will finish up the term with the 55 cases that he is to try.

The cases on the docket are divided as follows: thirteen parole cases, nineteen criminal cases, eighteen divorce cases, twenty-seven equity cases and about seventy-five civil cases.

The case of Mrs. Q. A. Gilmore, charged with the murder of Mrs. Ella Shipps, will not be tried at this term of court. It will come up in court, however, and the date for the trial will probably be set.

Among the fifty-five cases to be tried by Judge Drain are six divorce cases. Judge Drain is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Augustus Romasser.

FATHER PETER RUSSELL DIES

Former Maryville Man Passed Away In India, October 11, — Has Many Relatives Here.

Father Peter Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, died in India, October 11, according to word received yesterday by Mother John of the Convent at Clyde. Father Russell was born in Maryville and was reared in this county, having received his education at Conception College. He was ordained to the priesthood at Conception and said his first mass at Maryville.

After his ordination he went to Canada, and from there was transferred to the Philippines. After a few years' service there he went to Panama where he was chaplain during the first years of the building of the canal. From Panama he went to South America where he helped found a school. After he had finished his work there he went to India where he engaged in missionary work. The details of his last sickness and death have not been received.

Father Russell was 45 years old. He was a secular priest. His brother, Anthony Russell, was well known in Maryville, having lived here until his death, a few years ago. Father Russell is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Adelia Tobin of DeQueen, Ark., and Mrs. Babe Johnson of near Elmwood, Neb. His three aunts, Mother John, Sister Agatha and Sister Innocence are at the Convent at Clyde.

Saw "Hip, Hip, Hooray."

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hellmers and Albert Kuchs drove to Kansas City yesterday to see "Hip, Hip, Hooray." They returned from Kansas City this morning.

PARNELL BOY ARRESTED

Robert Allman Is Detained By St. Joseph Police on the Charge of Passing Bad Checks.

Robert Allman, 22 years old, living at Parnell, Mo., was arrested yesterday morning by Patrolmen Cullen and Arnold on a charge of passing worthless checks. He was taken to central police station where he is being held for investigation.

Allman is said to have tried to cash a check at the Stockyards bank in the Exchange building. He was told that it would have to be indorsed. He left and returned a short time later with the check indorsed by Davis Brothers, supposed to have been intended for Davis and Son, live stock merchants, who have offices in the building. The teller noticed this discrepancy however, and refused to cash the check. The police were then notified and picked Allman up at Cherokee and Lake avenues.—St. Joseph Gazette.

DR. RICHARDSON AT NORMAL

Evangelist Gives Interesting Talk on "The Red Badge of Courage,"— Changes Sermon Subjects.

Rev. E. Emerson Miller, pastor of the First Christian church, and Dr. W. F. Richardson of Kansas City, visited the Normal this morning. The devotional meeting was begun with religious songs. The Rev. Mr. Miller was introduced by Prof. C. A. Hawkins, and then he read a portion of the sixth chapter of the letter to the Ephesians.

Dr. Richardson made an interesting talk on the "Red Badge of Courage."

He then announced that as there were so many attractions Friday night Dr. Richardson would preach on the "Senses of the Soul," Thursday night and would preach on "The Nineteenth Century Rebellion," Friday night.

$1591.65 IN WATER FUND

Maryville Water Department Receives $17,782. 32, And Disburses $16,190.67 In 1916.

The statement of the Maryville Water Department for the year 1916 shows a balance in the treasury of $1,591.65 on December 31. The receipts, which amounted to $17,782.32, came from the following sources: hydrants, $3,330; railroads, $1,095.26; unmetered rates, $687; metered rates, $11,103.74; miscellaneous, $200.44; merchandise, $520.07; cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1916, $845.81.

From this amount the following disbursements were made: salaries, $1,862.38; wages, $2,274.55; fuel, $3,670.23; expense, $1,236.92; supplies, $1,590.77; repairs, $630.66; construction, $925.06; and remittance, $4,000, totaling in all, $16,190.67.

WOMAN DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Mrs. Sam Eckles, 62 Years Old, Succumbs After Week's Illness—Leaves Husband and Children.

Mrs. Sam Eckles, 62 years old, died at 1:30 o'clock this morning at her home in Graham, following a week's illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Eckles is survived by her husband, eight children and several grand children. Her children are W. W. Eckles of Oklahoma, George Eckles, James Eckles, Mrs. Milt Wilson, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. Oren Stiverson, Bernice and Jake Eckles, all of Graham.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the residence, the Rev. Mr. Croy officiating. Burial will be in the Graham cemetery.

FOR CITY MANAGER

MARYVILLE COMMERCIAL CLUB AFFILIATES WITH LEAGUE.

LEGISLATIVE IN PURPOSE

Will Work For A Law Authorizing But Not Compelling Third Class Cities to Adopt New Form.

Believing that the city manager form of government is a popular and progressive movement and that every city should be allowed an opportunity to select this form if it so desires, the Maryville Commercial club through its directors has become affiliated with the Missouri City Manager league which has for its purpose securing optional city manager law for the third class cities of the state. Primarily the league is composed of commercial clubs in cities of the third class. Other organizations, however, which are in favor of the city manager form are given the privilege of membership.

A league was formed to secure the passage at the 1917 session of the legislature of a law which third class cities—having a population of 3,000 to 30,000—could adopt the city manager form of government. The object of the league is to obtain legislation authorizing but not compelling cities of this class to adopt city manager government if they so desire.

Officers of the league are: president, J. F. Morris, Jefferson City; vice-president, L. E. Bates, Excelsior Springs; secretary-treasurer, R. C. Journey, Columbia.

An optional city manager bill was introduced into the 1915 legislature. It passed the senate, but failed to pass the house because of lack of anyone to push it. This law was drawn up for the Missouri Municipal League by Leslie Bates of Excelsior Springs and Isador Leob of Columbia, Dean of the School of Business and Public Administration, University of Missouri These two persons, assisted by Mr. H. A. Scheidker, secretary of the Hannibal Commercial Club, are now engaged as a committee on drafting and revising this bill.

Although Maryville is holding a fourth class charter, it is believed by many members of the Commercial club as well as Maryville citizens that the city is ready for a third class charter and that such interest is sufficient to prompt activity which may result in betterment of the form of government of cities of the same size, or in the same class, as Maryville should be.

REPLY TO WILSON SOON

Especial Pains Will Be Taken by Allied Governments to Return Satisfactory Reply to Peace Note.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Jan. 9.—That especial pains will be taken by the allied governments to return a satisfactory reply to Wilson's peace initiative is the statement made in semi-official circles today. According to common belief, the reply will be on its way within forty-eight hours. The official text will probably be given for publication, simultaneously to European and American newspapers, Friday or Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Charles, who underwent an operation at St. Francis hospital, is reported slowly improving.

Fern To-Night

Louise Lovely, Jay Belasco and Lon Chaney, favorites with devotees of Bluebird Photoplays, will be leading players in "The Grasp of Greed," a Bluebird to the exhibited at the Fern theatre tonight. The scenario was written by Ida May Park, based on H. Rider Haggard's story, "John Meeson's Will," and the protoplay was directed by Joseph De Grasse, who has supervised all of the Bluebird productions in which Louise Lovely has appeared since she came to this country last Christmas, from Australia. It's the will of John Meeson, a rich and miserly publisher, that forms the incentive for some splendid acting in an interesting and sensational photoplay. How the will came to be recorded and the peculiar manner of its engrossing forms a chapter unique in photoplaying. During the progress of five intensely interesting acts sensation supercedes excitement in stirring sequence, and as the gripping episodes unfold attention is held tensely to the "surprise" finish.—10c and 15c.

THE ADAMSON FIGHT

A LEGAL BATTLE OVER 8-HOUR LAW GOES ON.

DECISION IN FEW WEEKS

The Question Whether Congress Has Power to Regulate Hours of Service Is Keynote for Argument.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The legal battle over the constitutionality of the Adamson law was continued today before the supreme court. A decision is expected within a few weeks. Meantime, although the law was passed to become effective January 1, last, all litigation under it and the changes it proscribes are suspended by agreement.

The question whether congress has power to regulate hours of service and wages, furnished the keynote of the arguments yesterday in which the justices manifested keen interest, interrupting with many questions. In defense of the law for the department of justice, Solicitor General Davis declared it regulates both hours of service and wages and contended congress has authority to regulate both. He asked annullment of the decision of Circuit Judge Hook at Kansas City, in the test case of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, holding the law void

Although three hours is the usual time allotted for argument of a case, the court today granted an extension to eight hours equally divided between the federal and railroad counsel. Tomorrow Walker D. Hines, chairman of the railroads' general committee of the counsel, and John G. Johnson of Philadelphia will speak for the carriers, and on Wednesday, the closing arguments for the government will be made by Frank Hagerman, special assistant to the attorney general.

The railroad brotherhood are not participating through counsel, but several labor leaders were spectators today. Attorney General Gregory and his entire staff and many members of congress also were in the court room.

Solicitor General Davis, in a two-hour argument told the court that it "reached the heights of imagination" to say that the primary object of congress in passing the law was not to limit the hours of toil. He asserted that Elisha Lee, the railroads' spokesman throughout the strike controversy, often had admitted that fact as well as that the law is workable now denied by the railroads.

The contention that the law is unworkable, Davis said, was "a manifest afterthought induced by the necessities of this case." To the charge that the law was experimental, he said public clamor would have followed had congress attempted to fix an arbitrary eight-hour day scale in perpetuity without possibility of change under future changed conditions.

"It may be congress did not please the railroads, the employes, or the public," he concluded, "but the body that made the law should amend it and the judiciary must not usurp that function."

SIPES FUNERAL TOMORROW

Services Will Be Held At 2 O'clock in the Afternoon From the Baptist Church.

Funeral services for Mrs. Charley Sipes, who died yesterday afternoon at her home will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the Baptist church, the Rev. T. H. Wiles officiating. Interment will be in the Miriam cemetery.

Relatives from a distance who will attend the funeral are two brothers, Charles McBride of Panora, Ill., and Lawrence McBride of Ghent, Minn., and Mrs. Morilla Hunter, of Raymond, Minn., a sister.

BANK OFFICERS CHOSEN

Same Men Re-elected to Direct Affairs of The First National Bank For 1917

The shareholders of the First National bank met this morning at the bank and held their annual election of officers The officers who had served last year were all re-elected. They are: President, Joseph Jackson, Sr.; cashier, Joseph Jackson, Jr.; directors, Joseph Jackson, Sr., H. W. Richmond, (secretary); C. C. Corwin, S. G. Gillam, Mrs. Mary Ream, and J. F. Colby.

A STRANGER IN CAMP.

—Des Moines Register.

GARDNER'S SPEECH

COMBINES INAUGURAL ADDRESS AND LEGISLATURE MESSAGE.

FINANCES FIRST PROBLEM

Tells Audience That State Must Be Placed on a Firm Business Basis at Once.

Frederick Gardner, who was inaugurated governor of Missouri yesterday, combined his inaugural address and his message to the legislature in one. He said in part:

"We must completely remodel and rehabilitate the finances of this state immediately.

"Our general revenue fund costs the people of Missouri about $1.70 per capita. In Illinois the per capita rate is $4.50. The average per capita tax of the United States is $5.03.

"If we raised $5.03 per capita, we would have 16¾ million dollars annual revenue to finance the state.

"We should have an additional revenue of 1½ million dollars for the public schools of Missouri; $1,800,000 to cover the present deficiency; ¾ million dollars to reform completely the penal institutions, which I will later discuss at greater length.

"I believe this additional revenue required can be best obtained by imposing taxes on the following basis, which I recommend for your consideration:

The raising of the collateral inheritance tax from 5 per cent to 7½ per cent.

A general inheritance tax.

Tax on capital and surplus of corporations (a privilege or franchise

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75 AT BANQUET

BUSINESS GIRLS ATTENDED FIRST ANNUAL DINNER LAST NIGHT.

PATRONESSES GIVE TALK

Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. R. S. Braniger, and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch Responded to Toasts.

(Miss Kate Schenck)

Seventy-five of the bright and clever women who have helped in making Maryville a topnotcher in the business world gathered around the festal board last night and dined, at the first annual banquet given by the Business Girls' club in the I. O. O. F. hall.

The gathering had an object other than dining and socialibity, which was that the guests bidden might better understand the good features of the club and thereby the membership of the organization be increased.

Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. L. E. White, Mrs. R. S. Braniger and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, patronesses of the club each responded to a toast on a subject vital to the present and future interests of the club.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam, the fifth patroness, was unable to be present.

Following the dining, the usual order of meeting of the club was observed. Miss Laura Hawkins conducted the Bible study and Miss Nelle Hudson the play hour. Both of these young women are members of the High School faculty and have been in charge of this part of the work of the Business Girls' club since its organization last October.

The club is an aftermath of the meetings held in this city during Oc-

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FIGHT IN BLIZZARD

RUSSIANS SUCCEED IN CAPTURING ISLAND OF GLANDON.

BATTLING STILL IN EAST

Clear Weather Causes Many Lively Artillery Duels on the Western Fronts, War Office Announces

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—Fighting their way forward through a raging blizzard, the Russians succeeded in recapturing the small island of Glaudon, north of Illux, the German war office admitted today. The great battle that developed along the northern end of the eastern front continues furiously with the Russians attacking many points. Practically all these assaults were repulsed. The Russo-Roumanian positions all along the eastern bank of the Pulnta are now under attack. The Germans captured Galricaska by storm.

Clear Weather Aids Fighters.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—The clear weather has resulted in some lively fighting on both sides at many points of the western front, the war office announced.

Drastic Action Towards Greece.

Tokio, Jan. 9.—That the allies at war council in Rome decided upon action of the most drastic kind towards Greece is indicated by the dispatches today. The Times understands that an ultimatum was drawn up and forwarded to Athens along with a demand for an immediate reply.

Take Gloomy View of Capture.

London, Jan. 9.—British military experts commenting upon the capture of the fortress, Fokshani, take the gloomy view that now it is almost impossible to prevent the Teutons from overrunning Moldavia, thus giving them complete control of Roumania.

KANSAS LEGISLATURE BEGINS.

Oaths to Senators and Representatives Administered at Noon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Topeka, Jan. 9.—The Kansas legislature began its session at noon today. The oaths were then administered to the senators and representatives. Governor Capper's message will be read tomorrow.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder by Wednesday afternoon.

The Amoma Class of the Baptist Church is requested to meet in basement of church at 1:45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to attend funeral of Mrs. Charles Sipes at 2 o'clock.

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GARDNER'S SPEECH

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tax).

A state income tax to be based on 10 per cent of the federal rate.

Raise saloon licenses to a flat rate of $500.

Mortgage recording tax.

A secured debt tax.

Inspection of soft drinks.

Inspection of spiritous liquors.

"I recommend the creation of a state tax commission to furnish the general assembly such information as is necessary from time to time for satisfactory revision of revenue laws. The power of this commission may be made to include supervision over the expenditure, as well as the collection of the state's money, with authority to make a scientific estimate of the revenue for each biennial period, presenting same to the legislature with a budget and recommendation as to how the money should be expended.

"I recommend for your consideration that the board of pardons and paroles, the board of prison inspection, the boards of the Missouri Reformatory, the state industrial home for girls, the state industrial school for negro girls, all be abolished and the duties now performed by these boards be placed under the exclusive jurisdiction of a board of say five members, not more than three of whom shall belong to the same political party, this board to have large powers.

"I favor the creation of a state highway commission composed of four members, two of whom shall be chosen from each of the leading political parties.

"This commission should be given broad powers, including authority to select a state highway engineer and to pay such salary as would guarantee a man of high attainments and successful experience. His term of office should be during the pleasure of the board, and his compensation should be fixed by it.

"I recommend submitting to the people the question whether a convention shall be held for the purpose of revising and amending the constitution of the state."

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Worth Knowing

When dampening clothes that have become too dry for ironing use warm water. It penetrates more quickly than cold and less of it is required, so that the ironing may be begun sooner.

When ironing handkerchiefs begin ironing in the middle. Ironing the edges first causes the middle to swell out and makes it very difficult to iron and fold them properly. Test the iron on a piece of rag or paper to prevent any accident by scorching.

Mother-of-pearl should never be washed with soap, for it discolors and destroys the brilliancy of the shell. The right method of cleaning is with whiting and cold water.

To clean marble take two parts of soda, one of pumice and one of salt (all in powder) and mix to a paste with water. Rub this vigorously on the marble and wash off with salt water. Finish with clean cold water and a soft cloth.

Corn breads are always heavy when sweet milk is substituted for sour and the soda is not changed to baking powder.

Some New Year's Customs, Both Ancient and Modern

New Year's in Rome was a day of rejoicing and gladness. The people celebrated it by feasting with each other and by giving presents to their friends. They were very careful about their behavior on this day, as they believed they would act throughout the year as they did on New Year's. On this holiday there was always a celebration in the temple they had built to Janus, and great preparations were made for it.

The Chinese people make a great fuss over New Year's, but their dates are not the same as ours, and their new year begins a little later than ours. For this festival day they decorate their houses and churches with funny lanterns and gay ornaments. In the churches incense is burned to the gods.

In Persia the people exchange eggs on this day. This means that the events of the coming year are as uncertain as the kind of chicken which will hatch from each egg.

The Japanese have customs of the New Year much like those of the Chinese, except that they have the same calendar as we have, and so their new year begins when ours does.

In ancient times the druids gave pieces of their holy plant, the mistletoe, to all people on the first of the year as a wish that the receiver of these might be blessed all year.

The pilgrims celebrated Thanksgiving, but not New Year's. Their reason for this was because the month was named after a heathen god. The Quakers also follow this rule, and instead of January they call this month the first month.

Light as Chaff

A Spare Leg.

Jones was old fashioned and stuck to old fashioned ways. Smith was modern and bought a fine new automobile. One day he was proudly exhibiting it to some friends when Jones came along.

"Um," remarked Jones as he sized up the handsome machine. "What's that thing there on the side?"

"That's a spare rim and tire," answered Smith. "We always carry an extra one in case one of the wheels goes wrong."

"Just as I always said," was the response of Jones. "I've driven hosses for nigh on fifty years, and I never had to carry a spare leg for one of them yet."—Country Gentleman.

Not Her Celebration.

Old Zeb Jackson, the champion whitewasher, walked down the main street of the village one morning dressed in his best suit, with a large, brilliant buttonhole bouquet and cotton gloves on his big hands.

"Hello, Zeb!" said the postman. "Are you taking a holiday?"

"Dish yere," said the old man, with a proud wave of his huge hand—"dish yere am mah golding wedding university, sah. Ah'm celebratin' hit."

"But your wife," said the postman, "is working as usual. I saw her at the washtub as I passed your house."

"Her?" said Zeb hotly. "She ain't got nuffin' ter do wif hit. She's mah fou'th."—Country Gentleman.

The Usurper.

Every night since he arrived at his summer boarding house the occupant of the small but airy room on the rear ground floor of the farmhouse had been annoyed by a large pig trying to gain entrance to his whilom domicile.

"Why is that pig always trying to go into my room?" inquired the summer boarder of the hired man one morning. "Do you think he has taken a fancy to me?"

"It's his room during the winter," whispered the hired man cautiously.

WOULD REDUCE MO. FIRES

Resolutions Endorsing Legislation to Provide for Fire Marshal Department Sent by Commercial Club.

Resolutions endorsing and recommending legislation which will provide for the establishment of a Fire Marshal Department in Missouri, were sent to Representative William Job and Senator James W. McKnight by the Maryville Commercial club today. The proposed legislation will reduce fires by eliminating fire hazards and prosecuting incendiaries.

The problem of fire losses in the state is one of large moment and it has long been felt by heads of the insurance department that effort should be made to reduce the loss and thereby reduce the danger to life and property. No extra tax to pay for the department will be assessed. It is a plan in other states to collect a small assessment from the insurance premiums out of the state.

Insurance companies favor the measure because it will reduce the risks. Those who are advocating such a department do so because they see a reduction in rates.

JOB ON MANY COMMITTEES

Nodaway Co. Rep. Named by Drake Watson to Serve Normal Schools and Ways and Means Committees.

Representative William Job of Nodaway county was appointed on a number of committees by Drake Wilson, speaker of the house, in Jefferson City. Mr. Job is chairman of the Normal Schools committee, chairman of the printing committee. Mr. Job is also a member of the ways and means committee which will wrestle with the problem of state revenue and which committee is headed by R. R. Correll of Randolph county. Frank Jones of Gentry county is also a member of this committee. The ways and means committee is one of the most important committees on account of urgent need of more revenue.

WILL BE BURIED HERE.

Mrs. Sarah Donovan Roberts of Easton Dies in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Sarah Donovan Roberts of Easton, Mo., died at 8:15 o'clock yesterday forenoon at the home of her cousin, John D. Richardson, 624 North Fifth street, after a prolonged illness. She had been visiting at the Richardson home for the last eight months. Jesse L. Roberts of St. Joseph is also a cousin. Mrs. Roberts was 66 years old and had no other immediate relatives. The body was sent to Maryville for burial.—St. Joseph Gazette.

MRS. MERRIGAN DIES.

Former Clyde Woman Succumbs to Tuberculosis at Colorado.

Mrs. Robert Merrigan of Colorado Springs, who formerly lived in Clyde, died Sunday at her home following a long illness of tuberculosis. Her body will arrive in Stanberry tonight. Mrs. Merrigan is survived by her husband and one son.

VILLA AT SALEVO.

No News of Serious Fighting By the Bandits Reaches Border.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, Jan. 9.—Villa is reported as being at Salevo City, fifty miles south of Chihuahua City. No news of serious fighting has reached the border.

If you wish to buy or sell real estate, see Holmes & Wolfert. 9-15

Miss Anna Elberger of Conception is shopping in Maryville today.

Charley Wells went to St. Joseph today on business.

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THE MEAL TIME

HOURS OF EATING SHOULD BE ONES OF RELAXATION.

HOSTESS OFTEN FAILS

Anxiety to Have Successful Meal Leads Her to Plan Elaborate Menu and Service—Result is Exhaustion.

The meal time is in many homes the only time when all of the family gathers, and it should therefore be a period for pleasant association and relaxation, as well as for providing proper nourishment. Also, when friends gather around the family table it is especially desirable to have the atmosphere of the meal comfortable and harmonious.

The hostess all too frequently fails in her efforts because her very anxiety to have a successful meal leads her to plan so elaborate a menu and service that she is exhausted when she reaches the table, and as a consequence other members of the family and the guests feel ill-at-ease throughout the meal. Furthermore, the menu is so heavy and unbalanced that no one can "do justice" to both the meal and his own digestive system.

The following two menus were given as illustrations by Miss Hildegarde Kneeland in a lecture during Farmers' Week at the University of Missouri, January 1 to 5: The first is a fairly typical example of a "company dinner" on a Missouri farm. It is based on the idea that the greater the number of dishes, the better the meal. Therefore, two meats are served, two kinds of potatoes several kinds of preserves and pickles, and two very rich desserts. The result is an unappetizing conglomeration which is an insult to the human stomach. The second is a simplification and modification of this menu, planned with regard for the nutritive needs of the body and palatability of the combinations. Therefore but one kind of meat, one kind of potatoes, and one dessert are served, and the preserves and acid foods are limited to one jelly and a salad. The fruit cocktail at the beginning of the meal stimulates the flow of the digestive juices; a light soup would also do this. The salad which is not very heavy gives variety of consistency by its crispness; lettuce if it were available would add to this. Throughout the meal there is a contrast of color and of manner of preparation.

The preparation of the meal could be simplified by serving soup in place of cocktail; it would be well then to use fruit instead of vegetables in the salad or to replace the ice cream with a fruit dessert.

The introduction of the first course increases the problem of serving as the meat course would have to be brought in after the cocktail cups or soup plates were removed. When a member of the family is acting as waitress, it will therefore be wiser to have the salad course served in combination with the meat course.

Care in having the hot dishes really hot and the cold dishes really cold and in removing the dishes in a quiet and orderly way will do much toward making a meal attractive.

In the arrangement of the table and the serving, simplicity, convenience, and unobtrusiveness should always be the aim.

Menue I. Baked chicken—oyster stuffing; baked ham; mashed potatoes, giblet gravy; candied sweet potatoes; bean salad; slaw, creamed onions; hot biscuits, plum preserves, grape jelly; mixed pickle; mince pie, peaches with whipped cream, nut cake.

Menu II. (Menu I simplified) — Grape fruit and pineapple cocktail; Maraschino cherry; baked chicken, oyster dressing, giblet gravy; mashed potatoes, creamed onions; hot biscuit, grape jelly; salad of peas and carrots, cooked dressing; caramel ice cream, marble cake

75 AT BANQUET

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tober by Charles Reign Scoville, and it was formed under the direction of Mrs. Scoville with forty members enrolled. A patroness was selected from each of the five Protestant churches of the city. The membership has increased to sixty-five now and the hopes of the club are to soon have a hundred.

The officers are: Miss Besse Porter, chairman, and Miss Nora Ritze, treasurer. The dues are not heavy and the meetings are held each Monday evening in the High School auditorium. After the devotional and business period the play hour is given over at present to gymnastics and folk dancing.

Then, those erstwhile well poised, dignified business girls don middies and bloomers, discard high heels and stays and romp 'till the spirit of play chases away all thought of office and shop and school.

A course in domestic science, a reading circle, travelogues, out-door sports, and tournaments are some of the visions of the future, all backed by the enthusiasm of seventy-five business women, which soon makes reality of dreams.

Preaching at Mount Zion.

The Rev. E. W. Croy will preach at Mt. Zion at 11 o'clock a. m., Sunday January 14. At Swan Chapel at 3 o'clock p. m., and at Graham at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Our second quarterly meeting will be held January 27 and 28. Quarterly conference January 27, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Graham. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

E. W. Croy, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell and son, Lavern, of Tarkio are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hilnsbeck of Graham.

L. D. Lynch, west of Maryville is in Rochester, Minn., where he is taking treatment.

HOW DRESS FOR SKATING

Neither Women Nor Men Clothe Themselves Properly for Skating According to Swedish Champion.

New York, Jan. 9.—Neither women nor men dress properly for skating.

"New York women do not know how to dress for skating," says Mrs. Emury Bergfeldt, Swedist champion. "They forget about outline and silhouette.

"Some women wear corsets too long and too stiff to permit a free hip movement.

"Skirts should be two and three-quarters of a yard around and reach just above the curve of the calf."

The average man skater is more concerned with keeping on his feet than with his appearance, says Mr. Bror Meyer, winner of European championships.

"But the costume should be correctly cut tight at the knees and with the knickerbockers only slightly curved at the hips," he advises.

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LAWSON WILL GIVE NAMES

Promises to Tell All If Congress Will Investigate Alleged "Leak" — Wouldn't Tell Yesterday.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Thomas Lawson promised to give the names of those connected with the alleged "leak" at Washington if the house would order a congressional investigation of the leak. This promise came after a session devoted to wrangling. He said that if he were called before a select committee he would tell the names of the congressmen, cabinet officers and other high officials besides a banker, who are involved in the "leak." He also promised to give the amounts of money, "great amounts, more than $2,000,000," involved in the transaction.

Yesterday Campbell of Kansas got Lawson to say that a member of congress had told him that a Cabinet member was involved in the leak. Campbell asked who the Cabinet member was, and Lawson refused to tell. Campbell asked who the House members were, and again Lawson refused to tell.

Lawson said at the beginning that he would tell the committee what he wanted to tell and the way he wanted to tell it, or he would not tell anything at all. He said in a long statement that this was not an investigation, but an inquiry to find out whether there would be an investigation. Chairman Henry sought to get names and specific instances from him, but he refused to give them.

Real Estate Sales.

B. Notzol sold his property on North Mulberry street, known as the Peter Lahr property, to Fletcher Badger of Barnard. Wm. Ocker sold 120 acres, 3 miles southwest of Maryville, known as the Hunt farm, to Wm. Freeze of Skidmore. Wm. Freeze sold 70 acres, 3 miles northeast of Skidmore to Wm. Ocker. The sales total $30,000 and were made through Holmes & Wolfert.

Few special bargains in city property, possession given March 1. Holmes & Wolfert. 9-15

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FIND PREHISTORIC TOOTH

Grinder From Head of Ancient Man Dislodged From Coal Bed In Kansas.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pittsburgh, Kan., Jan. 9.— Can you imagine a prehistoric man, whose tooth would weigh four ounces, a tooth which would take a wire cable to pull? Such a tooth has been found in a coal bed, more than 600 feet under the ground. The tooth was found about two miles northwest of Pittsburgh, in a coal mine. Dentists claim that, because of certain formations, it could be nothing but a grinder from the head of a prehistoric man. While it is light and appears to be bone, it is in a perfect state of petrification.

The prehistoric giant, who had such a tooth, easily could have opened his mouth twelve inches wide. He must have been about twelve feet in height and able to have taken a six-foot step.

It is practically impossible to determine at what age this man lived, but it must have been many years before the birth of Christ, because of the depth at which the tooth was found. However, it is possible that the molar could have been placed that deep in mother earth by an upheaval at some time.

The coal mine in which it was found has been in operation many years and is one of the deepest in the country.

Many persons at first believed the tooth was that of a prehistoric animal rather than of a man. However, it was taken to several dentists, who said that because of certain formations in the human tooth which are present in teeth of animals, the molar must have been that of a prehistoric human being.

WOMEN IN OVERALLS NEXT

Style Set By Women Munitions Workers Leads to Adoption By Society Women.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Jan. 9.—Overalls for women! That is the latest trick of Dame Fashion. The style is set by the women munitions workers of Europe and now a great American company which has specialized in overalls for men only, announce it will soon be turning out hundreds of thousands of this garment for the fair sex.

The materials will be cambray, soft cotton, khaki and black sateen, in stripes, checks, white and blue—very dainty and attractive. Many big firms have started to clothe thier women workers here in the bifurcated garment—and the women and girls say they like them.

Out-of-Town Visitors.

Charles Lee of Elmo, N. I. Staples and Jesse Robertson of Burlington Junction and Bob Graves and Alva Cox of Maitland, were among the out-of-town people in Maryville yesterday.

His Condition Unchanged.

The condition of B. Raleigh Martin, according to word received by his relatives today, is unchanged.

J. M. Broadbent and S. P. Curnutt of Barrard were in Maryville today. They are on their way home from Shenendoah, Ia.

Frank Hinton and George Porterfield of Pickering were in Maryville on business today.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

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O. E. S. Meets.

The regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star will be held at the Masonic Hall this evening.

Penelope Club at Mrs. Costello's.

The Penelope Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Ed Costello tomorrow afternoon, instead of at the home of Mrs. U. S.Wright.

Mrs. Eversole, Hostess.

Mrs. Ralph Eversole entertained the members of the Tuesday afternoon Auction Bridge Club, this afternoon at her home on South Buchanan street. Mrs. Luther Forsyth was the guest of the club. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Whites Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John White entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their country home west of Maryville. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and daughter, Lora Frances, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. Sam Kennedy, Mrs. Ethel Lincoln, Miss Clydell White and Wilfred White.

Comptons Will Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Compton will entertain at 6 o'clock dinner tonight. The evening will be spent in playing somerset. The guests will include: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wolfert will be after dinner guests at the Compton home.

Jolly Farmers Meet.

The Jolly Farmers' club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Debord, Friday evening, January 5. A very enjoyable evening was spent by the following members: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Briggs and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mutz and family.

Appleby's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Appleby entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Flora. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby and children, Elvina and Orville, Iona H. Appleby and sons, Robert Lee and John Ben, and Velma, Alma and Flora Appleby.

Bloomfield's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield entertained the following guests at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Will Hantz and daughters, Leta and Lottie, and sons Harold, Roland and Donald. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley and son, Orville, Mr. and Mrs. Corney Leech and son, Harold, Miss Addie Killiam and Misses Nona and Olivia Bloomfield.

Guests at Sherlock's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sherlock entertained at 12 o'clock dinner today at their home on West Third street. Covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. John Behm and daughters, Beatrice and Loretta, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Felix and little daughter, Helen Dorothy, Miss Susie Behm of Chicago, Miss Clara Sherlock and the host and hostess.

Guests at Evans Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland M. Evans entertained with an elaborate "goose" dinner Sunday at their beautiful home, seven miles south of Maryville on the Savannah road. Victrola music was given by Miss Gladys Haynes. Those present were: Mrs. Carloda Evans, and son James, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Evans and family, Miss Vera Mae Dorman, Mrs. Francis Haynes and family, the host and hostess and son Earl.

For Mrs. Colbert's Guests.

Red and white was the color scheme at a charmingly appointed six-course luncheon given at 1 o'clock this afternoon by Mrs. Fred Robinson in honor of Mrs. Jesse Croan and Mrs. Margaret Tausey of Anderson, Indiana, who are the guests of Mrs. G. H. Colbert. Crystal candlesticks, containing red candles, and crystal baskets, filled with red roses, were used on the table. The place cards and the menu were also in red and white.

After the luncheon, a guessing game and musical selections furnished entertainment for the afternoon. Besides the honor guests, the following were present: Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. Charles Bell, Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., Mrs. J. A. Ford, Mrs. Edward Gray, and Miss Nell Saunders.

Evelyn Lucile Evans, Honor Guest.

Mrs. John R. Evans entertained Saturday in honor of the eighth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Evelyn Lucile, the affair being a complete surprise to her. Various games were played, piano solos were rendered by Misses Roberta and Odessa Wells, Audrey Craig and Mrs. Evans. A vocal solo was given by little Miss Susie Dougherty. After the children had finished posing for a picture, a dainty luncheon of blended fruits, whipped cream, cake and cocoa was served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Ed Russell.

The table was lit with candles, and the centerpiece was a pink and white birthday cake, decorated with eight candles, and the name of the guest of honor, done in fondant.

The affair was greatly enjoyed by little Miss Evelyn, who said she wished she could have several birthday parties a year. She received many nice gifts from the guests present, who were: Helen Renshaw, Vera Mae Dorman, Vern Dempsey, Donald and Clarence McGinnis, Kermit Moore, Susie and Vina Dougherty, Carl, Audrey and Mabel Craig, Esther, Rebecca and Edgar Cox, Russell, Odessa and Roberta Wells, and Kenneth and Evelyn Evans. The children's teacher, Miss Grace I. Norris, and Evelyn's grandmother, Mrs. Carloda Evans, were also present.

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Arkoe will meet at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at the Methodist church, and spend the day at the church quilting. All members are invited to be present.

Little Wava Woodward Entertains.

Little Miss Wava Woodward of Arkoe, entertained a number of her little friends Saturday afternoon at a play dinner. Graham crackers, peanut butter and candy were served by the little hostess from her toy dishes. The children afterwards enjoyed a taffy pull. Those present were: Ruth Corrough, Ruth Ramey, Ellen Jane, Alice Swinford, Florence and Virginia Morrow, Evelyn Harding, Jessie and Beulah Vickery and Thelma Shipps.

Music Department Meets With Miss Nash.

Miss Alma Nash was hostess to the Music Department of the Twentieth Century club, which met yesterday afternoon at her home on West Thompson street. The subject for the afternoon was "Music of Russia." Miss Mary Q. Evans was the leader. Roll call was answered by anecdotes of Russian musicians. Mrs. Charles Moore sang, "He Loved Me So Dear," by Tschaikowski, and "Liebesgluck," by Glinka.

The following musicians were discussed: Elman, and Gabrilowitch, by Mrs. Frank White; Gadski and Godowski, by Mrs. C. Q. Smith; and Hoffman, Paderewski and Zimbalist, by Mrs. L. G. Crossan. Records from these artists were played on the victrola.

About twelve members and visitors were present. The visitors present were: Miss Teresa Hunt, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. E. G. Orear, and Mrs. George Nash.

NEWSPAPER OWNERS MEET

Will Confer at St. Louis On White Paper Situation—Believe Combine Exists to Defraud Small Consumer.

The newspaper publishers of the state are to hold a meeting in St. Louis next Friday for the purpose of considering the white paper situation. Revelations made by the federal trade commission, which has been inquiring into the paper trade for the last six months, leave no doubt in the minds of publishers that a combination exists in restraint of trade.

The large metropolitan newspapers have contracted for all the output of the mills, or as nearly so as the manufacturers would permit, leaving the small publishers to get along the best way they can. The situation is a trying one and the publishers are justified, they feel, in demanding action by the legal department of the government.

The president and secretary of the state press association have been on the ground at Washington for some weeks and will be in a position to furnish some interesting information to the St. Louis gathering. Every northwest Missouri publisher is urged to attend the meeting.

OPPOSE PROHIBITION IN D. C.

Senator Underwood Presents Petition Signed by 40,000 "Wets."

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Senator Underwood presented to the Senate a petition signed by 40,000 persons, opposing prohibition in the District of Columbia and demanding a presentation by referendum of any "dry" legislation.

FREDERICK SMALL SENTENCED.

Will Hang January 15, 1918, for the Murder of His Wife.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Ossipee, Jan. 8.—Frederick L. Small a Boston broker was found guilty of murdering his wife today and was sentenced to hang January 15, 1918. The sentence says that he must remain in the state prison until then.

PENNSYLVANIA OIL $3.05.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 9.—Pennsylvania crude oil jumped to $3.05 a barrel.

Miss Leona Browning of Mound City is visiting this week with Miss Gladys Yeaman, who is taeching in Arkoe.

Say to the Waiter

'I Want An Edwards' Business Man's Luncheon'

You know that hungry feeling when you don't want a full meal, and still not just a bite. Well here's a tip. You can get what you want quickly and easily.

Say to the waiter, "I want an Edwards' Business Man's Luncheon." And in a jiffy he'll deliver you a big wholesome Sandwich, dry or smothered in gravy.

Merely suggest to him which kind of meat you prefer, and he'll do the rest. Pickles on the side and just enough sandwich to check up on that hunger and send you back to work with plenty of pep. And a fine thing about it is its only 15 cents, although it looks like more.

Edwards' Cafe

Prof. Hakel Returns.

Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel returned last night from his home in Weston, Neb., where he spent the holidays. Mr. Hakel was delayed in returning by illness.

Earl Campbell of Guilford is in Maryville on business today.

W. M. Vandeventer of Conception and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCandlish of Craig were among the out-of-town people in Maryville yesterday.

Miss Mayme Swoboda, who has been visiting for a few days with Miss Agatha Kirch, left today for her home in Leavenworth, Kan.

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Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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If you have a Kodak you can buy your FILMS at the Bee Hive Shoe Store at quite a saving

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Bid Farewell
to
Neglected Opportunities

Make this year a year of taking advantage of the opportunities you've been neglecting. In many cases they are the very easiest things for you to do yet you pass them up. Now make this year different.

For instance in all probability you are losing many dollars that you could bank by using the

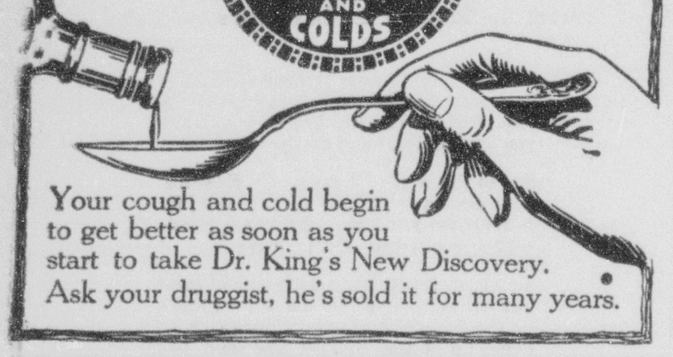
Classified Columns of The Democrat-Forum

It's a fact we can show you deals made through this system that have in a single instance run into hundreds of dollars. You've been informed often of the many ways you can use this economical system. *Start today.* Just a twenty-five cent piece may bring you many dollars.

Bad Cough? Feverish? Grippy?

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

Here's Effective Relief



Your cough and cold begin to get better as soon as you start to take Dr. King's New Discovery. Ask your druggist, he's sold it for many years.

ASTOR WOULD JOIN NAVY

Becomes Pupil of New York Navigation School Which Prepares For Annapolis.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Jan. 9.—Vincent Astor and other gilded young men here are pupils of a New York navigation school which makes a specialty of preparing candidates for Annapolis.

Mr. Astor is not going to try for Annapolis. He's twenty-five years old and married, and so barred from the academy. But his interest in preparedness is so keen that he is taking this means to increase his efficiency as an officer of the Volunteer patrol squadron, a fleet of power boats suitable for scout and other duty.

Several other members of the patrol squadron are enrolled in Captain Uttmark's school. Among them is Hermann Oelrichs, son and heir of the late Hermann Oelrichs. Other pupils are Orson D. Munn, son of the founder of the Scientific American. Paul L. Hammond and Sigmund Cohn, all members of the squadron.

Although Mr. Aster joined the patrol last summer, his interest seemed more in aeroplane training. He enrolled last May in the aeronautical corps of the Second Naval Reserve Battalion and helped to raise $8,000 for a hydro-aeroplane. The year before he had a hydro-aeroplane built and was taught to operate it by his pilot, Clifford Webster.

WOMAN SNEEZES; BREAKS RIB.

Mrs. Arthur Heiser Finds That Bone Is Seriously Fractured.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Mount Carmel, Pa., Jan. 9.—A sneeze, a twist of the body—result a broken rib, according to the experience of Mrs. Arthur Heiser, thirty-five, of Shamokin Dam.

She was emerging from a department store when she sneezed violently, and in an effort to save herself from falling off the steps of the store twisted her body. She saved herself from falling, but was immediately bothered with a severe pain which sent her scurrying to the doctor. There she discovered she had fractured a rib.

Daughter For Thorps.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thorp announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Katherine, born yesterday at the St. Francis hospital.

License Issued.

A marriage license was granted today in the office of the recorder for Thomas M. Edwards of Gentry county and Minnie Jane Smith of Stanberry.

See Holmes & Wolfert for bargains in farms, if taken by Feb. 1. 9-15

Rev. J. H. Williams of Kalamazoo, Mich., is visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Williams and Mrs. and Mrs. Burr Williams.

Miss Nina Lamport of Pickering is visiting with her aunts, Mrs. Nelle Alden and Mrs. Al Royston of Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Kansas City Stock Letter.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Jan. 9.—Cattle closed last week 15 to 25 cents higher all around, and a supply of 17,000 head today was not big enough to start a decline. Sales steady to strong; nothing prime offered; top, $10.90. Hogs exhibited strength most of last week, and added 10 to 15 cents today; top, $10.60; receipts, 10,000. Sheep and lambs sold a shade stronger, lambs $13.30, ewes $9.25; receipts 16,000.

Beef Cattle.

Prime beef steers reached $11.50 twice last week, and are steady today, but the best here sold at $10.90; other sales around $10.50. Short fed steers sell from $8.50 upwards. Three cars of pulp fed steers from Northern Colorado arrived, just fair, 1180 lbs, and sold at $9.80. Steers from the same district considered feeders by the shippers, were sold to killers, some weighing 1130 lbs, at $9.40; others 1,000 lbs., at $9.00. Killers offer strong competition on anything with flesh. New Mexico steers went to the killers at $8.25, barely starting to gain flesh. Cows sell up to $9.00, common canners at $5.25 to $5.75, bulls $5.75 to $7.50; veals to $11.50.

Stockers and Feeders.

Demand cleaned up the supply closely last week, and at an advance of around a quarter for the week. Strong prices the first week in January are unusual, but high prices for killing cattle make stockmen eager to invest. Good feeders bring $8.00 to $9.00, and get competition from killers as well as country buyers; stock steers $6.50 to $8.50. Sales today were at a slight advance over last week.

Hogs.

Values made a net advance last week, though not without fluctuations both ways. The market was 10 to 15 cents higher today, but the supply had nothing choice, else a top of $10.65 or more would have been made. Numerous sales were of both heavy and medium weights were made at $10.60, and bulk of sales ranged from $10.60 to $10.60; light weights up to $10.40; pigs $8.50 to $9.25. Demand is strong from killers everywhere, and lighter average weights indicates close marketing, with possibility of shrinking receipts in the near future, something the packers fear, hence their anxiety to accumulate stocks of meat.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lambs started weak today, at the decline of 25 cents effective the last half of last week, but the late market was 10 cents higher; Kansas fed lambs at $13.30; pea fed Colorado's at $13.25. Sheep sold stronger from the start, ewes ranging from $8.85 to $9.25. Yearlings are worth up to $12.35. Feeding lambs bring strongest prices on record, $11.75 to $12.50. The fat lamb market is really more secure than it appears, for packers are getting enormous prices for wool and pelts, reducing meat prices to the level of last year.

J. A. Rickart,
Market Cor.

Joseph Meyer of Bedison visited in Maryville today.

Fred Bellows went to Stanberry today on business.

The Town is Alright. Are You?

If you want to live in the kind of a town
Like the kind of a town you like,
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip
And start on a long, long hike.
You'll find what you left behind,
For there's nothing that's really new,
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town,
It isn't the town,—It's You.
Real towns are not made by men afraid,
Lest somebody else get ahead. When everyone works and nobody shirks,
You can raise a town from from the dead.
And if while you make your personal stake,
Your neighbor cacn make one too,
Your town will be what you want to see;
It isn't the town. It's You.

Inspiration Miscellany

Good Manners Help.

A merchant who returned from England just before the war broke out has been voluble ever since on the manners of the children he happened to meet abroad. Apparently American parents and schools do not lay on good manners the emphasis that they receive abroad. Yet good manners, like the gold at the foundation of all money, are current the world over. Emerson noted this:

"Give a boy dress and accomplishments and you give him the mastery of palaces and fortunes wherever he goes. He has not the trouble to earn or own them; they solicit him to enter and possess."

"All your Greek," Chesterfield wrote to his son, "can never advance you from secretary to envoy or from envoy to ambassador, but your address, your air, your manner, if good, may."

"The difference between a well bred and ill bred man is this," Samuel Johnson said: "One immediately attracts your attention, the other your aversion. You love one until you find reason to hate him; you hate the other until you find reason to love him."

Civility, polished manners, mean much to a youth in his first position.—Kansas City Star.

OUR CROSSES.

The crosses which we make for ourselves in this life by a restless anxiety as to the future are not crosses which come from God. We show want of faith in him by our false wisdom, wishing to forestall his arrangements and struggling to supplement his providence by our own providence.—Fenelon.

To the Boy of the Twentieth Century

So live that your afterself—the man you ought to be—may in his time be possible and actual. For away in the twenties, the thirties, of the twentieth century he is awaiting his turn. His body, his brain, his soul, are in your boyish hands. He cannot help himself.

What will you leave for him? Will it be a brain unspoiled by wrong living or dissipation, a mind trained to think and act, a nervous system true as a dial in its response to the truth about you?

Will you, boy of the twentieth century, let him come as a man among men in his time, or will you throw away his inheritance before he has had the chance to touch it?

Will you let him come, taking your place, gaining through your experience, hallowed through your joys, building on them his own, or will you fling his hope away, decreeing wantonlike that the man you might have been shall never be?—David Starr Jordan.

Limbs of the Mind

As our bodies, to be in health, must be generally exercised, so our minds, to be in health, must be generally cultivated. You would not call a man healthy who had strong arms, but was paralytic in his feet; nor one who could walk well, but had no use of his hands; nor one who could see well, though he could not hear. You would not voluntarily reduce your bodies to any such partially developed state. Much more, then, you would not, if you could help it, reduce your minds to it. Now, your minds are endowed with a vast number of gifts of totally different uses—limbs of mind, as it were, which if you don't exercise you cripple. One is curiosity—that is, a gift, a capacity of pleasure in knowing, which if you destroy you make yourselves cold and dull. Another is sympathy—the power of sharing in the feelings of living creatures, which if you destroy you make yourselves hard and cruel. Another of your limbs of mind is admiration—the power of enjoying beauty or ingenuity, which if you destroy you make yourselves base and irreverent. Another is wit or the power of playing with the lights on the many sides of truth, which if you destroy you make yourselves gloomy and less useful and cheering to others than you might be. So that in choosing your way of work it should be your aim, as far as possible, to bring out all these faculties as far as they exist in you; not one merit nor another, but all of them.—Ruskin.

Two Foes.

Two well known but unheeded facts are that anxiety is no baker and bakes no bread; that worry is no tailor and makes no clothes.

THE IDEAL.

The ideal is in thyself. The impediment, too, is in thyself. The condition is but the stuff thou art to shape that same ideal out of. What matters whether such stuff be of this sort or that, so the form thou givest it be heroic, be poetic?—Carlyle.

FARM ANIMALS

HEALTHY AND VIGOROUS HOGS

Pasture Furnishes Necessary Exercise in Gathering Succulent Feed—Feed Some Grain.

"Corn for fat and pasture for pork," said a farmer. He meant, says R. C. Ashby, assistant animal husbandman in charge of swine, University farm, St. Paul, that the pasture furnished exercise in gathering the green, succulent feed, and by keeping the hogs

Ready for Market.

healthy and vigorous, it put them in the best condition to make good gains from their grain feed.

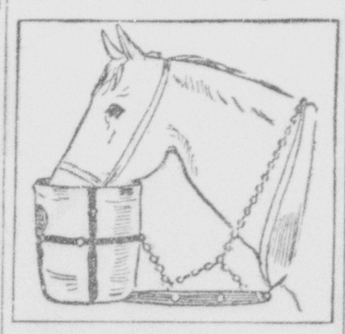
It pays to feed grain on pasture, for pasture alone will do little more than keep up a pig's weight. A light to medium grain ration is usually most profitable. About two or three pounds of grain a day is a good ration for shoats weighing eighty to one hundred pounds. If you have scales, weigh your pigs occasionally and feed about three pounds of grain daily for each 100 pounds live weight of hogs.

Good rations for summer feeding are easily obtained. On clover, alfalfa or rape pasture, feed corn and a little skim milk. On blue grass or timothy pasture feed three pounds of skim milk to each two pounds of corn. More milk would do no harm. If skim milk is not at hand, it will pay to feed oil meal or tankage with the corn, where blue grass or timothy pasture is used about one part tankage to eleven parts corn or one part oil meal to seven parts corn.

NOSE-BAG SUPPORT IS HANDY

Horse Is Enabled to Eat From Bottom of the Bag Without Bracing on the Sidewalk.

The interesting features of this device are the brace that runs to the lower part of the hames, and the flexible support attached to the top of the



Support for Nose-Bag.

hames. The invention is intended to enable the horse to eat from the bottom of the bag without being compelled to brace it against the sidewalk or other solid object.

PRODUCTIVE PERIOD OF EWE

Does Her Best at From Three to Six Years of Age—Keep Her While Teeth Remain Good.

The most productive period of the average ewe's life is from three to six years of age. As a general proposition, keep the ewe as long as the teeth remain good and she is producing lambs regularly.

Of course, if sheep are kept continuously on the same pasture, they are liable to stomach-worm infection, but such infection more often proves serious in the case of young lambs than with older sheep.

BROOD MARE AND HER COLT

Youngster Should Be Kept in Darkened Stall During Day—Allow It to Suckle Often.

If the mare is worked, keep the colt in a cool, dark stall during the day. For the first few weeks after foaling bring the mare to the barn and allow the colt to suckle.

Do this in the middle of the forenoon and in the middle of the afternoon, as well as at morning, noon and night.

In the Arena of Sports

Mathews of Pennsylvania

Among the season's football stars Captain Neal Mathews of the University of Pennsylvania eleven stands out for fine all around work. His play at

Photo by American Prese Association.

NEIL MATHEWS.

left tackle has been of the quality that wins games. Last year Mathews was also a sterling player, and his teammates recognized his worth by electing him captain.

Number of Boxmen to Be Reduced.

In the past pitchers have insisted that after a hard game they should have three or four days of rest, perhaps more, but this argument will not hold water in future. Several big league clubs carried as many as eight or ten pitchers for a time during the past season, but they failed to get into first division berths. These pitchers were liberally paid, yet they were not compelled to overexert themselves. When Alexander, Perritt, Benton, Rudolph, Davenport and other crack pitchers worked in both ends of double beaders without losing their effectiveness in subsequent games the magnates and managers opened their eyes to the fact that the average boxman had been fooling them. So next year the number of pitchers who remain under contract to the big league clubs will be greatly reduced.

Honus Is Well Fixed.

John (Honus) Wagner for some years has been drawing $10,000 a year from the Pittsburgh club. His contract with Barney Dreyfuss has called for this sum probably since 1906. When the Dutchman reaches the end of his career he will not have to worry about a new means of livelihood. He always will be able to lay hands on a fat bank roll which has been accumulating since Dreyfuss got Honus to the Smoky City.

Worth Knowing

Cup of Cocoa.—A pinch of salt and a few drops of vanilla added to boiling cocoa greatly improve the flavor. Boil several minutes, as it not only makes cocoa richer, but far more digestible.

Spots on Furniture.—To remove white spots from highly polished furniture apply common baking soda dampened. Allow it to remain on the spots for a short time and then rub vigorously.

To Drop Medicine.—Shake the bottle so as to moisten the cork. With the wet end of the cork moisten the edges of the mouth of the bottle, then, holding the cork under the mouth, let the fluid pass over the cork in dropping.

To Avoid a Crack.—When necessary to pour boiling water in a tumbler or glass cup put a teaspoon in first and there will be less danger of cracking.

Hard to put up a stovepipe without getting some soot on the floor. Before you touch it scatter a little salt over it. Then go ahead with your sweeping.

If a basket with sewing materials is kept in the kitchen many odd jobs of sewing can be done while waiting for the dinner to cook or the men to come to it.

HABIT OF HEALTH.

To acquire the habit of health it is necessary to cultivate the habit of expecting it. Cultivate, too, the habit of cheerfulness in your daily occupation, of optimism in your daily reflections, of urbanity toward others and consideration for their rights as well as extenuation for their failures. We should be healthy in body, glad in heart and aspiring in spirit.

Grippy weather this. Better get a box of—

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it—25 cents.

At Any Drug Store

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Jan. 9.—WHEAT—May, $1.83¾ @ ⅝; July, $1.40¾.

CORN—May, 95⅞c; July, 95½c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 13,000; steers, $8.00 @ $11.50; cows, $5.10 @ $5.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 18,000; market 15c higher; top, $10.80; bulk, $10.10 @ $10.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; market strong.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts 6,000; market 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 40,000; market 15c higher; top, $10.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Jan. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500; market strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; market strong; top, $10.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; market strong.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs

Butter fat, per lb	34c
Eggs, per dozen	35c
Hides, per lb	14c
Springs, per lb	14c
Hens, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese, per lb	10c
Roosters and stags, per lb	7c

SERVICES FOR MRS. LYONS

Will Be Buried at 10:30 O'clock Tomorrow Morning From South Methodist Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Lyons, who died at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning at her home on North Mulberry street, following a week's illness of grip, will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the South Methodist church, the Rev. R. C. Holliday officiating. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Lyons is survived by six children, Mrs. Sam Wohlfot, Barnard, Mrs. Earl Rownsend, Walla Walla, Wash., Mrs. Albert Allen, Ravenwood, Mrs. Charles Neal, E. W. Lyons and Miss Jessie Lyons, all of Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Miss Blanche Hinton of Pickering, is shopping in Maryville today.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist, CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

WANTED

100 Mules

Four to eight years old—any size. Phone me, I will come and see them and buy or invoice them.

Jim Andy Ford

Farmers 161 Hanamo 31

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

OYSTER SUPPER at Knabb School Friday night, Jan. 12, to raise money for homecoming. Ethel Lincoln, teacher. 6-9*

FOUND—A rosary, owner call this office. 9-11

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co., south side square. Hanamo 270.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

SPIRELLA CORSETS—Just received new sample line. Come and see me. Mrs. Henry Cook, 221 West Third, both phones. 9-11

NOTICE—All parties knowing themselves indebted to me, please call and settle at once. Have sold my interest in the shop to J. J. Ryan. Dennis Jones. 6-9*

STRAYED—White and brown bull dog, answers by name of Spot, has on leather collar. Telephone 1116, Skidmore. Will McGuire. 9-11*

ATTENTION, WAR—Thinking some people may get the impression I am going to quit business, using the language of John Touhey, "I will let you know when I want to quit." R. S. Braniger, the Seedy Man. 8-19

For Sale.

USED PIANOS—We have several good used upright pianos we will sell at bargains. Two square pianos at $25 each. Landon Music Co. 4-19

FOR SALE—Jersey heifer calf; 120-egg Successful incubator, 100 chick warm air brooder. 123 W. Fifth. 8-10*

FOR SALE—Restaurant and grocery, good business. Good reasons for selling. E. H. Sell, proprietor, Barnard, Mo. 6-12*

FOR SALE—Jack, "General Knox," will take good automobile or stock in exchange. Write P. O. Box 146, Maryville, Mo. 6-9*

FOR SALE—Two desirable residence lots, close in, 1½ blocks east of square on East Third street. Elmer Fraser. 3tf

FOR SALE—A beautiful building lot and large barn, south front. Inquire 319 W. Thompson. Mrs. G. A. Nash 8-10

FOR SALE—Eleven head Duroc-Jersey gilts to farrow in April. Walter Dickie, Farmers phone 50-19. 6-12*

FOR SALE—Small 5c and 10c store, good business; Ill health reason for selling. Living rooms and store room, cheap rent. Will invoice about $700. Koppen's 5 and 10c store, Conception Junction, Mo. 9-11

Wanted.

WANTED—Three girls at Maryville Laundry at once. 8-10*

WANTED — General house work. Call Farmers 913. 8-10*

WANTED—Married man wants work on farm. Experienced. Call at 221 West Thompson. 9-11*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—Work on farm by married man, by the year. Give good reference. Call Han. 5461. Joe Auffart, Route 7. 9-11*

WANTED—Sewing by experienced dressmaker, at your home or mine, 15c an hour. Call 2416 Farmers phone. Iona H. Appleby, 127 South Fillmore. 9-11*

SALESMAN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 8-9*

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